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THE PATROL SYSTEM

County Engineer Wilson Sends Communication to Levy Court

RECOMMENDS PATROL SYSTEM

At the meeting of the Levy Court Tuesday afternoon, a communication was received from County Engineer Wilson in which he stated the amount needed for maintaing roads in New Castle county. He also called attention to the need of a more efficient system of repairing and maintaining the roads. Following the reading of the communication it was ordered filed and the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, That the county engineer be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to devise a suitable and practical patrol system for the repair and maintenance of the improved roads in New Castle county and submit to the Levy Court at its next meeting thereof for approval such plan or system as he shall recommend."

The communication which was received from the county engineer gave the number of miles of improved roads in the county and the apportionate miles to each hundred, for which a sufficient maintenance fund will have to be provided, "if we are to keep our roads from further deterioration." There are now constructed and subject to upkeep by the Levy Court before the end of the fiscal year 166.36 miles, which at the rate of $300 per mile, will require $49,908; or in rouud figures $50,000. Next year there will be 185.47 miles. On several of the most traveled roads especially on those roads leading into Wilmington, the engineer suggests it may be the best practice to resurface the present macadam roads with some good bituminous wearing surface, and as this class of repair can be done at the same rate as ordinary maintenance he hopes the Levy Court will add at least $10,000 to the above estimate for maintenance.

"The objection may be raised that the tax rate must be increased so much money be apportioned for roads," Mr. Wilson says, "While it may not be within my province to argue this point, I mignt remark that if we are unable to keep up the roads we have already constructed, it is folly to build more until we can, but I believe the people want good roads and more of them, and are willing and able to bear a slight increase to keep our roads in good condition, provided they are so kept. As a general rule when the people get a good thing they are willing to pay for it.

While on this subject I wish to briefly call your attention to the need of some more efficient system of repairing and maintaining our roads, than we have. In most of the foreign countries that have improved roads and in some of our States to a limited extent, the continuous maintenance system has been adopted, whether with a single patrol method or the rolling gang method or a combination of both; which of these methods would be best for us, or whether in one part of the county one method should be adopted and in another section another will depend on conditions and circumstances, but some continuous system we should have; and for the efficiency of the work the men so employed should be assured of a permanent job, as men so employed profit by their own mistakes, become experts in this line and soon take a pride in their work."

The Levy Court thereupon adopted the following:

Resolved, that the county engineer be and he is hereby empowered and directed to devise and put into operation a suitable and practical patrol system for the maintenance of all improved road in New Castle county, and

Resolved, Further, that the said county engineer be, and he is hereby vested with the same duties and authority in reference to said improved roads as he now has in reference to all other roads in said county by virtue of Chapter 156, of volume 24, of the Laws of Delaware.

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

Tuesday, a motor car driven by John Meredith of Felton hit the car of James L. Dickinson at Ginn's Corner, half a mile from Townsend.

Mr. Dickinson was coming from his farm in Thoroughfare Neck and on approaching ..... s Corner blew his horn. The Felton car was coming from Middletown road and seemed to be running at a high rate of speed. Mr. Dickinson tried to get out of the way and had his car in the ditch along the right side of the road when the other car crashed into his car hitting the front seat where he was driving. The impact turned Mr. Dickinson's car over, smashed a wheel and broke the axle. Fortunately Mr. Dickinson escaped with only a few bruises. Meredith and four companions had been to Middletown on a "joy" party.

One of the Felton party received an ugly gash on the head by being thrown against the windshield. Two wheels of the machine were broken and the front end broken in. Meredith had taken the party to Middletown, where they stayed several hours. This is the second auto accident in this locality recently, and there is much complaint of reckless running along that section of the road.

CHILDREN'S DAY EXERCISES

A delightful program "The Banner of Love" was given at the Children's Day service at Forest Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening. The program follows:

Organ Voluntary.
Singing, "Love's Banner," School.
Prayer, Rev. F. H. Moore.
Scripture Reading, School.
Welcome from School, Arrie Bradley.
Greeting from Primary Department, Joseph Beasten.
Recitation, Clayton Draper.
Singing, Primary Department.
Duett and Chorus.
"June Days," class of boys and girls.
Recitations, Five children
Recitation, Margaret Bradley.
Song and Chorus, "The Nest on the Bough."
Recitation, Viola Morris.
Singing, Class of boys.
Recitation, Henry Howell.
Recitation, Raymond Morris.
Recitation, John Pool.
Solo, Mabel Collins.
"Message of the Daisies" Class of Girls.
Singing, "We Come Today," Sunday School Choir.
"Little Gardners", Class of Girls.
Recitation, Walter Beasten.
Solo, Gwendolyn Gary.
Singing, Primary Department.
Recitation, Elizabeth Clayton.
Address, Rev. C. T. Wyatt of M. E. Church.
Recitation, Catherine Beasten.
Singing, Choir.
Trio, John Pool, Burton Pearson and Walter Beasten.
Singing, "Our Battle Song," School.
Recitatlon, Harris McDowell.
Recitation, Ruth Shockley.
Recitation, Alice Shockley.
Motion Song, "Scattering the Roses." Class of Girls.
Recitation, Frank Brynes.
Singing' "A Song for Every Day", School.
Benediction, Dr. Wyatt.

STRAWBERRY LUNCHEON

Hon. O. A. Newton, President of the State Board of Agriculnure gave a strawberry luncheon on Friday to the members of the Board and some friends at his home near Bridgeville. Mr. Newton has been one of the leading strawberry growers in the State ever since the business began to assume large commerical importance, and he regards the strawberry crop the most important fruit crop for Sussex county. Incidentally it may be said there is no better farmer in the State than Mr. Newton.

At the luncheon strawberries formed the centerpiece on the table, and they were served in various delicious ways.

In addition, spring chicken cooked to the last nicety of perfection, with all the accompaniments of such a lunch, were served. Mrs. Newton still manages the White Plymouth Rock department of the poultry end of the business and so produces the early broilers, while Mr. Newton is chief captain over the 2000 white Leghorn layers that find free range in the large orchards on the farm.

Those present at the lunch were Governor Charles R. Miller, Ex-Governor Simeon S. Pennewill, Ex-Lieutenant Governor Philip L. Cannon, Chief Justice James Pennewill, Hon. N. L. Grubb, Vice President of the State Board of Agriculture, General A. R. Benson, Secretary of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

A Delightful Dance

A delightful dance was given in the New Century Club room on Monday evening for the members of the graduating class of the Middletown High School. The music was furnished by Miss Hannah Kirk. Those present were Misses Jennie Gallagher, Edith Spry, Mary Beaston, Helen Jones, Orah Spry, Marion Vinyard, Mabel Lockwood, Estelle Beaston, Madeline Pennington, Emma Pennington, Edna Carpenter, Mildred Redgrave, Frances Beaston, Mildred Vaughan, Olive Lockwood, Madeline Manlove, and William Kirk, Osborne Banning, Delbert Gallagher, Elmer Kirk, Herbert Pyle, Lemont Jones, Phillip Vinyard, Harry Segelken, John Dickinson, Theodore Whitlock, Taylor Barnett, Ben Gibbs, Carson Segelken, Dawson Wilcutts, Raymond Cunningham, Lee Vinyard, Mrs. Frank Pennington. Mrs. Harry Howell, Mrs. Henry Segelken, and Mrs. L. V. Kirk.

Horse Killed In Collision

A valuable young horse belonging to Howard Ratledge and driven by a negro farm hand, Richard Dale, was run into, headon, Saturday night, and killed instantly, just west of the railroad crossing, by another horse driven in a reckless manner by a drunken negro.

Mr. Ratledge's horse was a fine young animal for which, recently, he had been offered $200.

Died From a Cancer

Arthur Duncan Doolittle, a farmer residing near town, died on Saturday, from a cancer of the stomach. He formerly was a resident of Sussex county and had lived here about five years.

Mr. Doolittle was 54 years of age and leaves his wife and two daughters. The remains were taken to Carnegie, Pa., for interment Monday afternoon.

FRIENDS & VISITORS

Personal Items About People You See and Know

THOSE THAT COME AND GO

Miss Blanche Griffs, of Baltimore, is visiting Miss Ada Lockwood.

Mrs. Clay Hitchens, of Harrington, is the guest of W. B. Kates and family.

Mrs. J. Allen Johnson will leave on Monday for a short visit in Atlantic City.

Mrs. B. T. Craddock, of Philadelphia, has been the guest of W. B. Kates and family.

Mrs. Frank Bages, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Dickerson.

Miss Ruth Gillespie left Thursday for Philadelphia, where she will spend sometime.

Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Caswell, of New York, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Lynch, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Buehm.

Mrs. Arthur Johns, of Philadelphia, is visiting her sisters, the Misses Beasten, on Cass street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. VanSant, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. J. E. Denny.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dashiell, of Cambridge, Md. are visiting their son, Mr. E. L. Dashiell and family.

Mrs. Virginia Massey, of Wilmington, has been spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Emlin Massey.

Mr. James H. McCrone, of near McDonough, is the guest of his uncle, Mr. John J. Hoffecker, in Philadelphia.

Miss Jenny Lowry, of Philadelphia, visited the Rev. and Mrs. P. L. Donaghay, at St. Anne's Rectory, this week.

Miss Adalaide McCrone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William McCrone, of near McDonough, is home from her studies at the West Chester Normal School.

Miss R. E. Culp left for her home at Sunbury, Pa., Wednesday; she was accompanied by her niece, Miss Mildred Cline, of Ranova, Pa., who spent two days here.

Mrs. Ida R. McCrone, who was for a number of years teacher in the public school here, and now a resident of Baltimore, has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank McW horter.

Mrs. Julia A. Cosden received word on Monday of the death of her little grandchild, Julia A., on June 9th, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jarvis, of Water Valley, Mississippi.

Mrs. Charles A. Ritchie and daughter, Margaret, of Wilmington, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Bessie S. Anderson, while Master Charles Ritchie spent the time with Master Frank McWhorter.

Dr. and Mrs. Dorsey W. Lewis have gone to Atlantic City where they will sojourn for a month. They were accompanied by Miss Susie Foard. The doctor will attend the convention of Pennsylvania Railroad Surgeons and also the annual meeting of the American Medical Association to be held there.

Entertained at Cards

Mrs. William T. Connellee entertained a number of friends at cards on Friday afternoon last with five hundred and bridge. The winners of prizes at five hundred were: Miss Josephine Cochran and Mrs. Boyd McCoy of Summit Bridge, and the bridge winners were Miss May Holten, Mrs. Howard A. Pool and Miss Mary Hutchin. The guests were: Mrs. Richard Ford, of East Orange, N. J.; Mrs. F. B. Watkins, Odessa; Mrs. J. Allen Johnson, Mrs. J. C. Green, Mrs. William Green, Mrs. Nellie Lockwood, Mrs. Howard Pool, Mrs. George V. Peverley, Mrs. Boyd McCoy, Mrs. Ida Lindley, Mrs. Duval Gibbs, Mrs. F. J. Pennington, Mrs. Clara Brady Green, Misses Mary Hutchin, May Holten, Eliza Green, Helen Shallcross, Blanche Lockwood, Lizzie Price, Patton Cochran, Josephine Cochran, Ethel and Helen Brady, Elizabeth Gibbs and Charlo tte Peverley.

Won Prizes

Our youmg friend Mr. W. Irving Brockson who is a student at Delaware College, and a son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Brockson, of this town, won the following prizes this week:

Trustees' prize of $50 for the junior showing the highest general average of proficiency in all college activities during his three years—Washington Irving Brockson.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union $25 prize for oratory on temperance subjects—First, Washington Irving Brockson.

Mr. Brockson also hss been presented with a five days' trip to Northfield, Mass., by the Y. M. C. A. of the College, for good work done by him for the Association, where their Convention is being held.

Injured by Saw

While sawing a log at his mill near Glasgow, Monday afternoon, Mr. H. C. Spicer was painfully injured, by a piece of timber which came in contact with the saw. Mr. Spicer's head was badly lacerated, and he was more or less bruised about the body, but fortunatly no bones were broken.

RECEPTION TO FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lockwood Price who were married in Wilmington recently, gave a reception for their friends at their home on Green street, on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Price were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. Jabob H. Emerson, brother and sister-in-law of the bride and Miss Catherine Armstrong the very small grand-daughter of the groom.

The bride was beautifully attired in cream duchess satin, trimmed with black lace, while Mrs. Emerson wore a handsome white voile, which was her wedding anniversary dress. Little Miss Armstrong wore white India linen and ribbons.

After tendering congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Price, the guests were invited to the dining room where they were served by caterer Crawford Gibbs.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Burris, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Price, Mr. and Mrs. Enoch G. Allee Mr. and Mrs. William Price, Mr. and Mrs. John R. H. Price, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse L. Shepherd, Mr. and Mrs. John Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lee, Rev. and Mrs. P. L. Donaghay, Rev. and Mrs. C. T. Wyatt, Rev. and Mrs. F. H. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Conner, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rhoades, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Emerson, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Connellee, Mr. and Mrs. Julian H. Foard, Mr. and Mrs. George Derrickson, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Clayton, Mr and Mrs. S. E. Massey, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Eliason, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Derrickson, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Algire, Dr. and Mrs. N. L. Beale, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Northrup, Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Peverley, Mr. and Mrs. Abram Fogel, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Lewis Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Conner, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Messick, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Price, Mr. and Mrs. Sewell S. Holten, Mrs. T. E. Lindley, Mrs. W. H. Houston, Mrs. A. G. Penington, Mrs. G. L. Cochran, Mrs. C. A. Hoffecker, Mrs. G. W. Lockwood, Mrs. H. V. Parvis, Misses Patton Cochran, Fannie Shepherd, Catherine, Frances and Marion Armstrong, Mabel Conner, Mary Price, Myrtle Houston, Blanche Lockwood, Eliza Hurn, Lydia Eliason, Mary Richards, Lizzie Price, Etta Price, May Holten, Alexina French, Ada Lockwood, Laura Fogel, Mr. Frederick Brady, Mr. John Burton, Mr. C. P. Cochran, Mr. L. A. Dreka, Mr. John Heldmyer, Jr., Mr. Elwood Banning, and Merritt Willits from Middletown; Mr. and Mrs. John Taggert of Newport; Mrs. L. A. Pennington, Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Lewis, Mrs. I. F. Betts, Miss Elizabeth Morton, of Wilmington.

Peach Blossom Grange

Two persons were elected into membership of Peach Blossom Grange Friday night and one application received.

During the lecture hour Miss Edna Crossland gave an instrumental selection, and Miss Helen Brady conducted the word puzzle programme.

The Resolution of some weeks ago to adjourn the regular Grange sessions from June 12th to Oct. 9th and intervening meetings to be held at call of Worthy Master came up for final action, the result being the approval of the resolutions.

The visit of the Worthy Master of the National Grange to New Castle county August 6th, the Brandywine Springs Pomona meeting in September, and the National Grange session in Wilmington in November were events of interest that were discussed in the meeting.

Hay Destroyed by Fire

The hay field on the farm of Julian G. Cleaver caught fire in some manner at noon Wednesday, and owing to the dry condition of everything, gained great headway before it was discovered. The farm hands tried to fight it and neighbors turned out, but it spread over about 15 acres before it could be suppressed.

This is a great loss to Mr. Cleaver, as owing to a drought the hay crop is almost a failure in this section. This was the second fire within a week in this neighborhood, a wheat field having caught fire on Friday last on the Bird farm at Canal Bridge. The fire was soon put out and only about an acre of wheat was burned.

Bethesda Church Notes

June 21st. 9.30 a. m., Brotherhood Devotional meeting.

10.30 a m., Public worship with sermon. Subject, "I will lift up mine eyes to the hills."

2 p. m., Sunday School.

7.30 p. m., Public worship with sermon.

The Brotherhood will hold a business meeting at 8.30 o'clock, Wednesday evening at the Parsonrge.

Forest Church Notes

Sunday June 21st, 10.30 A.M., Public Worship.

11.45 A. M., Sunday School.

2.30 P. M., Armstrong Chapel Sunday School.

6.45 P. M., Christian Endeavor.

7.30 P. M., Evening Service.

The Children's Day Service of the Armstrong Sunday School will be held on Sunday afternoon, June 28th.

209TH ANNIVERSARY

Services to Be Held in The Old Edifice To-morrow

BISHOP KINSMAN PRESENT

The two hundred and ninth anniversary service of St. Anne's Episcopal Church, this town, will be held Sunday with morning and afternoon services. The morning sermon will be preached by the Rt. Rev. Frederick J. Kinsman, bishop of Delaware, and the afternoon speaker will be E. J. Cattell of Philadelphia.

The musical program will be in charge of the choir of the parish augmented by John W. Vandersloot, bass, and Charles W. Deane, tenor, of Philadelphia. An interesting sketch of the history of St. Anne's parish has been prepared by the Rev. William J. Wilkie and it has been published in pamphlet form. The order of service is as follows:

Morning service, 10.30—Bass solo selected, John W. Vandersloot; hymn, "Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty;" Venite, Te Deum, Benedictus, hymn, "I Love Thy Kingdom Lord;" sermon, the Rt. Rev. Frederick J. Kinsman, D. D., bishop; tenor solo (offertory), selected, Charles W. Deans; receiving of the alms, anthem by the choir; hymn, "O God, Our Help in Ages Past;" benediction.

Afternoon service, 3 p. m—Duet, selected, John W. Vandersloot, Charles W. Deans; hymn, "Come Thou Almighty King;" magnificat, nunc dimitis; hymn, "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah;" address, E. J. Cattell; bass solo (offertory), selected, John W. Vandersloot, receiving of the alms, anthem by the choir, hymn, "For All the Saints Who From Their Labors Rest," benediction.

The sketch, as prepared by the rector, shows that the first document referring to the history of the parish bears the date of September 1, 1704. It reads as follows: "Whereas, Richard Cantwell and William Dyre, with several others, inhabitants upon and near Appoquinimink Creek, in the county of New Castle, have requested us (the Commissioners of Property) that we would grant them a convenient piece of ground for erecting a chapel for the use and behalf of themselves and the other members of the Church of England.

On the land thus secured was erected in the following year 1705 the first St. Anne's Church, Appoquinimink. It was doubtless a small and simple wooden building, but for sixty years served its purpose. According to the rector's sketch when the vestibule on the south side of the present church was built, about the middle of the nineteenth century, it is said that the workmen came unexpectedly upon the foundations of the first structure and that they used these in part as the basis of that addition to the edifice. The first regular pastor was the Rev. Thomas Jenkins who had just been ordained in the Welch diocese of St. David's. He died on July 30, 1709, and while his grave is not marked, it is believed to be near the church. In the year 1746 there began a pastorate the longest in the history of the church, that of the Rev. Philip Reading. His labors closed in the troublous days of the Revolutionary War,

Like many other clergymen who had come from across the sea, he felt himself bound by his oath to use the prayer book of the Church of England in its entirety, includiug prayers for the king. This led to a situation which rendered the continuance of public services impossible.

After the war the parish resumed its activities. The Rev. John Bissett was rector from 1791 to 1794. It was in part due to his initiative that the first convention of the diocese of Delaware was called to meet in Dover, December 3, 1791.

The early part of the nineteenth century was a time of great depression, and the parish was unable to hold weekly services. The history is then traced down to the present and mention is made of alternations to the church which resulted in its consecration for the first time on November 11, 1847. On April 4, 1872, the new church was consecrated.

Negro Arrested

Ernest Rhodes, a negro from Warwick, Md., was arrested here on Saturday night by Chief of Police Hilyard, as one of the ringleaders in the almost riot on Saturday night, May 2d, in resisting the arrest of another negro. The officer was surrounded by an angry, ugly crowd of negroes and was forced to pull his gun to protect himself and his fellow officers, when Rhodes, jumped in and cursed him, daring him to shoot. Rhodes had stayed away from Middletown until Saturday night last, when he deemed it safe to make a call, but was seen and promptly arrested. At a hearing before Magistrate Cox he was fined $10 with costs, which he paid.

Seventh Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. Colonel Crouch gave their daughter Helen, a party in honor of her seventh birthday, at their home on North Broad street, on last Saturday afternoon. Those present were: Marion Frances and Catherine Armstrong, June and Virginia Johnson, Gertrude Palmer, Alice Jolls, Margaret Fitzgerald, Helen Kates, Anna and Elma Boulden, Bertha Chance, Helen, Paul and Marion Crouch.

LOCAL NEWS

Wagons and Dearborns for sale.
J. C. GREEN.

This store will close Saturday, July 4th. J. B. MESSICK.

Messick's store will close at 6 P. M. July and August. J. B. MESSICK.

The best steak, roasts, lamb and veal at W. C. JONES'.

Dr. Warren S. P. Combs Dentist. Successor to the late Dr. J. C. Stites.

Our Mid June sale starts this week read our add for the many bargains we are offering. FOGEL & BURSTAN.

HIGH GRADE LEHIGH COAL always in stock and under cover, guaranteed free from dirt.
Phones 5 and 48
JESSE L. SHEPHERD.

Register of Wills, Francis M. Walker, has granted lettres testamentary on the estate of Emma Alrich, to John Francis McWhorter, of Middletown.

WANTED.—Farm, also large tracts of land with or without stock. Write complete description, price, terms, etc.,
E. BRIONNE,
23 Duane St., New York City.

The P. O. S. of A. of Odessa, will have a class initiation next Wednesday evening, June 24th, by the Degree Team of Wilmington. Refreshments will be served. All members are invited to be present.

Mrs. John C. Green reports the first dahlias to bloom in this locality this season. Mrs. Green's dahlias are attracting the attention of those passing her home on East Main street, and have been greatly admired.

Unclaimed Letters—The following list of Letters remaining unclaimed in the Post Office, for week ending June 11th: Mrs. Bertha Weber, Mrs. Eva Prierce, Mrs. Herman Parks, Mrs. Ettie P. Cook, Jacob Crossley, Sr., Stevens Green, Henry Moneymaker, F. J. Durkee, D. E. Roach.

WANTED—Tobacco salesmen. Earn $100 monthly. Expenses. Experience unnecessary. Advertise and take orders from merchants for Smoking and Chewing tobacco, Cigarettes, Cigars, etc. Send 2 cent stamp for full particulars.
HERMET TOBACCO CO.,
New York, N. Y.

A WEDDING RECEPTION

Quite a happy time was spent at the M. P., Parsonage in Warwick, on Tuesday evening, the occasion being a reception given by the members and friends of Sassafras and Warwick M. P. Churches to Rev. A. B. Dupuy and wife, who were recently married in Lynchburg, Va.

After hearty congratulations and good wishes had been tendered the happy couple, and good music enjoyed, cake and ice cream were served.

Among those present were the following from Sassafras: Mr. and Mrs. Colgain, Mrs. Spry, Mrs. Ernest, Mrs. Stradley, Mrs. Tarbutton, Mrs. Stidham, Mrs. Pierce, Mrs. Battaile, Mrs. Townsend, Mrs. Johnson, and Misses Mary Tarbutton, Teresa Dreka, Helen Davis, Annie and Nellie Colgain, Elizabeth Battaile; and Messrs. Irving Spry, Ed Stradley, John Enest, Russel Tarbutton, Lloyd Johnson, from Frederick; Miss Fannie Molesworth, from Kennedyville, Md., Rev. and Mrs. F. S. Cain, Mr. and Mrs. McCabe, Miss Bessie Cain and Miss Mary McCabe; from Warwick; Mr. and Mrs. L P. King, Mr. and Mrs. John Rodney Price, Judge and Mrs. R. B. Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. Powell Johns, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. John Banks, Mrs. Charles Sternes, Mrs. Gunkel, Mrs. Bessie Stearns and daughter, Mrs. R. B. Merritt, Jr., Mrs. Sallie Wilson, Misses Ella Staats, Eula Vinyard, Mamie Merritt, Jennie Bishop, Agnes Merritt, Ethel Merritt, Lena Lee Merritt, Bessie Gunkel, Ella Banks, Marion Banks, and Messrs. Price King, T. B. Vinyard, Hanson King, Samuel King, Leland Price, Curtis Vinyard, Hazel Price and Robert Banks.

OBITUARY

The remains of little Helen A Records aged six years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Records, of Wilmington, formerly of Blackbird, were brought down on the 11.26 train on Monday for interment in St. Anne's cemetery. The little girl died on Friday last. The funeral services were held at the residence of her parents, No 420 West 21st street, on Sunday afternoon, at five o'clock.

Horse Fell On Man

William Alfree, Jr., while riding a horse on Main street, Saturday, turned at the four corners and in crossing an iron gutter the horse slipped and fell, with young Alfree underneath, breaking one of his legs.

He was taken to Dr., N. M. Beale who reduced the fracture and later took him to Wilmington for an X-ray examination.

Miss Lawson Resigns

Miss Anna R. Lawson, assistant principal of the Middletown High School for the past four years, has tendered her resignation to the School Board to accept a position in Rock Run Alabama. Miss Lawson's decision is regretted, as she had endeared herself to all who knew her, and was a most efficient and popular instructor.

CAN SHIP LIQUOR

Supreme Court Says It May Be Sent From Outside Points

BUT NOT FROM THIS STATE

DOVER, Del., June 16th—Residents of Kent and Sussex counties, the "dry" districts of Delaware, who have suffered from a long continued "drought" may now get their liquor with more convenience, for judges of the Supreme Court of Delaware handed down a decision today that makes legal the shipment of liquors from outside the state into Kent and Sussex counties, provided the liquor is to be used for "lawful purposes."

The court also held that the Webb-Kenyon law is not applicable when shipments from outside the state into a "dry" territory are for the personal use of the consignee.

The court decided that the Hazel anti-shipping law is constitutional in its prohibition of liquor shipments from points in Delaware into Kent and Sussex counties.

The interpretation of the application of the Webb-Kenyon federal law in connection with the Hazel anti-shipping law is of far-reaching importance, for it means that dealers in Pennsylvania, Maryland and other states may ship liquor into Sussex counties for lawful use, or consumption, by those to whom it is shipped, the dealers in New Castle county are prohibited from making shipments for any use except for medicinal or sacramental purposes.

It is expected, however, judging from the talk yesterday that Wilmington dealers will set up agencies in Pennsylvania in order to make a bid for the trade which will come from the "dry" counties.

The decision of the Supreme Court was made in the case of the State vs. Benjamin F. Van Winkle. The latter was agent of the Adams Express Company, at Smyrna, and was arrested for disterbing liquor shipments by express from Philadelphia. He was convicted and appeal was taken to the Supreme Court. Herbert H. Ward, Daniel O. Hastings and John Biggs represented Van Winkle and Attorney-General Wolcott and Deputy Attorney-General John B. Hutton represented the state.

The Supreme Court, Chancellor Curtis and Judges Woolley and Rice sitting, reversed the lower court, and decided that a crime punishable under the laws of Delaware has not been shown to have been committed by Van Winkle, and that the charge of the Court of General Sessions, based upon the contrary view, constituted an error.

Chancellor Curtis was not on the bench to-day,, he being at Delaware College.

Judges Woolley and Rice sat to-day, the former reading the opinion covering 107 typewritten pages.

The supreme Court emphasized particularly that it did not pass upon the constitutionality of the Webb Kenyon law, passed by Congress, which is left an open question so far as the courts of Delaware are concerned.

CECILTON

Miss Belle Galbraith is the guest of Miss Mary Clark.

Mrs. Thomas Hall is spending this week at Kirkwood.

Mrs. A. Burke visited Mrs. James Bailey recently.

Miss Margrette Myres is visiting relatives in Baltimore.

Miss Lispy, of Principio, is the guest of Miss Georgia Walmsley.

Miss Emma Moor, of North East, is guest of Miss Arrie W. Clay.

Miss Grace Cruikshank has been spending some time at Atlantic City.

Miss Georgina Walmsley has been visiting friends at Principio recently.

Misses Frances Davis and Lillie Ferguson have been visiting friends in Elkton.

Miss Gertrude E. Hoover spent last Thursday with her sister Mrs. L. B. Manlove.

Mrs George W. Padley and son were the guests of Mrs. Arthur Davis, of near Middletown, on Sunday.

Mr. Andrew Pennington, of Baltimore, has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ferguson.

Dr. R. M. Black, Messrs. J. T. Watts, J. H. Black, and Irving Burke were Port Deposit visitors on Monday.

Children's Day was observed in Zion M. E. Church last Sunday evening, and an interesting program was well rendred.

Miss Hilda Ostrom, of Western Maryland College, is spending the summer vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Eric Ostrom.

Several committees have been formed for the big 4th of July celebration to be held on Mr. John Coppage's lawn. The programe will be announced next meeting.

Real Estate Sales

E. H. Beck Real Estate Broker has sold the dwelling on Green street, belonging to Jay C. Davis, to Horatio and Merritt N. Willits to be occupied by Miss Ella Naudain. Terms private.

Also has sold the Parker factory belonging to Mrs. S. P. Stites to the Juniata Co., of Philadelphia, $2,500.

Such a Langwidge!

Gabe—Why did Smith go crooked?

Steve—He was in straitened circumstances.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES

Allen's Foot-Ease, the Antiseptic powder for Tired, Yonder, swollen, nervous feet. Gives rest and comfort. Makes dancing a delight. Sold everywhere, 25c. *Don't accept any substitute.* For FREE sample, address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y. Adv.

As to Jones.

"Jones puts his watch under his pollow nights."

"I notice he likes to sleep overtime."

Accounting for Expense.

Redd—I understand that golf enthusiasts in Massachusetts yearly spend about $300,000 on the game.

Greene—Gee! They must put away a lot of Scotch!

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

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Some Bootless Remarks.

The whole-souled fellow is not half so likely to go on his uppers as the half-souled ones. The former is usually better heeled and doesn't peg out and leave a fellow in the lurch when he finds it necessary to revamp his fortunes after business affairs have run counter to his desires.

BAD TETTER ON HANDS

R. F. D. No. 1, Critz, Va.—"I had tetter on my hands so badly that I could hardly do anything. It would begin to come in clear white blisters, then they would burst and peel off all over and crack and bleed. My hands were so sore and itched so badly I could not rest day or night. I could not put them in water nor do my regular work.

"I tried medicine and several different kinds of cream on them but they got worse instead of better. Nothing did me any good until I tried Cuticura Soap and Ointment. And now my hands are perfectly well and all right." (Signed) Miss Ellen Tudor, Nov. 19, 1912.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address postcard "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."—Adv.

Business Is on Its Way Out Again.

Speaking of the business outlook the Manufacturers' Record says that a group of New York men had gathered in a rather mournful spirit, and as they discussed the business outlook, which seemed to them to grow darker and darker, one wit in the party, turning to a staid, much perturbed financier, said:

"Mr. Blank, can you tell me how far a dog can run into the woods?"

Mr. Blank, somewhat irritated at such a trivial remark at a time of serious discussion, rather tartly replied that "he supposed a dog could run into the woods just as far as he wanted to."

"No," said the questioner, "when he has run half-way into the woods he is then running out of the woods."

The Middle Course.

Senator Root at a reception was discussing the Mexican situation.

"Steer a middle course," he said to an extremist. "These extreme ideas are always wrong.

"Thus at tea, one young girl asked another:

"'And where are you going this summer, dear?'

"'From the way mother talks,' was the reply, 'you'd think we were going to Newport. From the way father talks you'd think we were going to starve. But I suppose we'll steer a middle course, as usual, and put in a fortnight at a $12 Atlantic City boarding house.'"

Practically So.

Eddie, what's the matter? Fall?"

"No. I tried to hang some pictures and stood some dictionaries on a table and they slipped from under me."

"Words failed you, I suppose."—Judge.

EYE STRAIN

Relieved by Quitting Coffee.

Many cases of defective vision are caused by the habitual use of coffee.

It is said that in Arabia where coffee is used in large quantities, many lose their eyesight at about fifty. Tea contains the same drug, caffeine, as coffee.

A N. J. woman writes to the point concerning eye trouble and coffee. She says:

"My son was for years troubled with his eyes. He tried several kinds of glasses without relief. The optician said there was a defect in his eyes which was hard to reach.

"He used to drink coffee, as we all did, and finally quit it and began to use Postum. That was three years ago and he has not had to wear glasses and has had no trouble with his eyes since.

"I was always fond of tea and coffee and finally became so nervous I could hardly sit still long enough to eat a meal. My heart was in such a condition I thought I might die at any time.

"Medicine did not give me relief and I was almost desperate. It was about this time we decided to quit coffee and use Postum, and have used it ever since. I am in perfect health. No trouble now with my heart and never felt better in my life.

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STATE NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

Latest Doings in Various Parts of the State.

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The suit of Cyrus Ferguson against the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company and the American Bridge Company, which has been on trial at Easton for three weeks, resulted in a disagreement of the jury. The case is one of 98 of similar nature, each alleging damages to property owners of Port Deposit and vicinity by reason of the flood of 1912.

Fire destroyed the livery stables of Charles Bowen & Son, Snow Hill. At the time of the fire a large number of horses were stabled in the building and it was with difficulty they were liberated. A large amount of feed and a number of valuable carriages were burned. The building was owned by Thomas M. Purnell.

The graduation exercises of the Central High School, Lonaconing, Arthur F. Smith, principal, were held Thursday. The address to the class was delivered by the Rev. Dr. Albert Norman Hard, vice-president of the Western Maryland College, Westminster. The diplomas were presented by County Superintendent John E. Edwards.

The Harford County Commissioners have appropriated $10,000 toward the Hughes Hill Shoemaker road from Wileys Mill, through Norrisville, to the Pennsylvania line. The estimated cost of the road is $38,000. The board also appropriated $5,000 to complete the Pylesville-Cardiff pike.

Commencement exercises of the Briarly Hall Military Academy were held Wednesday night. The graduates were Albert C. Jeffcoat, of Crafton, Pa.; Edward James Greenway, Chelsea, Mass., and Robert Whitney Hempstone, Poolesville, Md. Dr. A. C. Monahan delivered the address.

Robert P. Bryan, rural mail carrier, was badly injured in a runaway accident. His horse bolted and when he reached for the reins he fell from his buggy. The lines became wrapped around his feet and both wheels passed over his body. His hip was injured.

Mrs. J. S. Hill, of Montgomery county, entertained at the Columbia Theatre, Washington, D. C., in the interest of good roads for Friendship Heights. Among the guests were Mrs. Herbert W. Peerce and Miss Catherine Peerce, of Baltimore.

An automobile owned by Richard J. Hamilton, editor of the Hagerstown Daily Mail, was stolen Monday night from the garage. About the same time an unsuccessful effort was made to steal the car of William D. Clarkson.

Harry Kirbywhite, 28 years old, was instantly killed by a Baltimore & Ohio train at Sand Patch tunnel, when two cars of a freight train, on one of which he was riding, became derailed.

While examining a cat and rat rifle Edward T. Covington, son of County Commissioner and Mrs. Harry S. Covington, was accidentally shot through the hand.

Julian Edmond was acquitted at Westminster of the charge of murdering his sister-in-law, Miss Eleanor Cole, in Baltimore last August.

The Cambridge Town Commissioners granted an electric light and gas franchise to John H. Burgess, Jr., Martin W. Smith and Gilbert B. Porter.

Clerk of the Court Harry W. Bowers has forwarded a check for $13,196.50 to the State Comptroller for licenses in Frederick county.

Washington College, Chestertown, will confer upon Judge Nicholas Charles Burke, of Towson, the honorary degree of doctor of laws.

The Kent County Commissioners have fixed the tax rate for this year at $1.09 on the $100. This is 15 cents above last year.

Clarence B. F. Carroll, a well-known farmer, of Montgomery county, committed suicide by sending a bullet into his head.

The District of Columbia National Guard is likely to hold its annual encampment at Frederick.

The State Volunteer Firemen's Association held their annual session at Westminster.

Home-coming Week festivities at Westminster included a trades display and civic parade.

Roger E. Hemphill was killed at Hagerstown during a fight with Harvey B. Hertzler.

Fire destroyed E. Tucker & Co.'s store at Forest Hill, Harford county.

Eighteen candidates were admitted as midshipmen at the Naval Academy.

The cornerstone of Hood College Administration Building at Frederick was laid.

St John's College Praised.

Annapolis.—President Fell, of St. John's College, has received the following congratulary telegram from the War Department as a result of the late inspection of the cadet battalion: "On recommendation of the College Inspection Board, institution under your control especially commended for progress and improvement during the year, and announcement to that effect will be made in War Department Bulletin."

ANNAPOLIS NEWS

BOARD COMMENDS STUDENTS.

Rules Against Hazing Observed At Agricultural College.

College Park.—The board of trustees of the Agricultural College adopted a resolution commending the student body for observance of regulations regarding the hazing of lower classmen.

Further gratification was expressed by the board over congratulations from the War Department on the progress and improvement made by the cadet organization during the year.

Most important developments of the day was the organization of a new division of the college, to be known as the extension service. This will be devoted to demonstration work among farmers, with the intention of securing improved methods, Prof. T. B. Symons, head of the School of Horticulture, has been appointed director of this service.

The hog cholera serum laboratory will be continued for the purpose of supplying farmers with a preventive of this scourge. Work of the seed inspector, which is especially valuable to farmers in protecting them from the purchase of impure and bad seeds, was also directed to be continued, additional funds being allowed for more extended investigations

Special provision was made for the expenses of the summer school for rural teachers, to commence June 22.

MUDDLE IN STATE BOARD.

Clayton Purnell Sues To Displace Henry Shriver.

Clayton Purnell instituted suit in the Circuit Court of Anne Arundel county for the purpose of determining whether he or Henry Shriver, of Cumberland, who was named by Governor Goldsborough as his successor, is entitled to membership on the State Board of Education.

This question can be solved only by determining whether or not the Governor exceeded his authority when he appointed Mr. Shriver to the board after the Senate of 1914 had failed to confirm the nomination of him.

Mr. Purnell's term as a member of the State Board of Education was to have expired on the first Monday of last May. In February the Governor sent to the Senate for confirmation as Mr. Purnell's successor the name of Mr. Shriver. At the same time Thos. H. Bock, of Somerset county, was nominated as a member of the board.

Mr. Bock was confirmed, but the Senate failed to act upon the nomination of Mr. Shriver, the intention being to have Mr. Purnell continue in office. The Governor then conferred with Attorney-General Poe as to whether or not he had a right to make a recess appointment. The Attorney-General ruled in the affirmative and Mr. Shriver, notwithstanding what the Senate had done, was commissioned.

It is contended that where confirmation by the Senate is specifically required the Governor cannot make a recess appointment after the Senate has failed to act upon a name that has been sent to it for confirmation. The Governor contends, however, that confirmation in the case of appointments to the State School Board is not necessary. Mr. Purnell insists that the Governor is wrong and that he is entitled to hold over.

TACKLE TAX PROBLEMS.

New State Commission Confers With Men Who Drafted Law

Upon the invitation of the State Tax Commission, the members of the commission on the revision of the taxation laws of Maryland, which had drafted and recommended the act creating the new commission, held a conference with the officials of the new board in its offices in the Union Trust Building. The Tax Commissioners were anxious to get the views of the men who had studied the problems of taxation, had issued a report on the subject and had been responsible for the plan to have a State commission.

There were present, besides Chairman A. P. Gorman, Lewin Wickes and Oscar Leser, of the Tax Board; Henry F. Baker, chairman of the revision commission; J. Barry Mahool, H. Findlay French, William M. Cooper, of Salisbury, and James H. Gambrill, Jr., of Frederick, members, and Eugene A. Hickok, expert of the revision commission, and Allan C. Girdwood, who was secretary of the revision commission and is secretary of the new board.

The plans and problems before the Tax Commission were discussed freely, and in the general interchange of views a number of suggestions were made which will probably be acted upon by the commission.

Mr. Gambrill, in discussing the possibility of friction between the county supervisors of the commission and the County Commissioners, suggested that there shall be an annual conference between the commission, the Boards of County Commissioners of all the counties of the State and the supervisors, to discuss and settle points of difference or difficulty.

It is the duty of the commission to select the county supervisors from lists of five persons submitted by the Commissioners of each county and by the Mayor of Baltimore. These lists have been received from Anne Arundel, Howard, Carroll, Washington and Talbot counties, and the commission is awaiting the lists from the city and the other counties before making any appointments.

Annapolis.—Thirteen young men who had passed the mental examinations qualified in the physical tests before the Naval Medical Examining Board and were sworn in today by Capt. George W. Logan, acting superintendent. Those admitted are: E. H. Krueger, O. G. Boush and J. C. Williams, of Texas; F. G. Y. Foy, Virginia; B. E. P. Williams-Foote and P. M. Thornton, at-large; L. C. Ramsey and G. W. Lester, Mississippi; J. W. Rogers, Missouri; F. Fechteler, California; D. H. Green, Wisconsin; H. R. Whittaker, Pennsylvania, and E. H. Smith, West Virginia.

INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

(By O. E. SELLERS, Director of Evening Department The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)

LESSON FOR JUNE 21

THE GREAT REFUSAL.

LESSON TEXT—Mark 10:17-31.

GOLDEN TEXT—"Ye cannot serve God and mammon." Luke 16:13. (Read also entire verse.)

The story of this rich young ruler is one out of the ministry of our Lord that has made an indelible impression throughout every succeeding generation. This is so because it is so vital, vibrant and vivid a revelation of our every-day experience. The lesson naturally divides itself into two sections. Read carefully the parallel accounts; Matt. 19:16-30 and Luke 18:18-30.

Man of Courage.

I. An Eager Young Man, vv. 17-22. This man is an arresting figure. Much may be said in his favor: (1) He was young (Matt. 19:22); (2) He was in earnest, "came running" (v. 17); (3) He was educated, "a lawyer," Luke 18:18; (4) He was rich, Mark 10:22; (5) He was loved by Jesus, Mark 10:21. That he had lived a clean life is revealed by the answers he made to Jesus. Moreover he must have been a man of some courage, belonging as he did to the ruling class, the Pharisees, yet he came running into the presence of Jesus and cast himself at his feet. We need but to recall that this class was at this time definitely hostile to Christ, yet this young man dared to speak the conviction of his heart in this public way by calling Jesus, "good." We feel that he was an honest seeker after life. His question reveals the unrest of the human heart. It matters not what men may possess of wealth or position, these things do not bring heart rest. Great moral courage, noble aspirations and benevolence never will save nor fully satisfy the human soul. Man does not obtain life by doing, Gal. 2:16. Life is a gift, Rom. 6:23. We must not misunderstand the reply of Jesus (v. 18). Jesus did not deny being good, John 8:46; 14:30; 8:29, but he saw that this young man was filled with the idea of his own goodness. To say that Jesus was good was practically to say he was God, and this the young man did not mean. Jesus sought to reveal to him his careless use of words. Jesus undoubtedly here lays claim to deity and subsequently he said, (v. 21) "follow me," i. e., for this man to yield his life actually to the control of God. Jesus began where the young man lived, within the law, the spirit of which is "do and thou shalt live" but he quickly revealed to this self-confident one that though he professed "all these things have I observed" yet he was mistaken and tremendously self-deceived. So far as he went he made a correct interpretation of his own need but the skilful teacher revealed to him his one great lack. His life was not really controlled by God and at once Jesus created an opportunity for him to yield himself to a life of wholehearted service. He touched the vital spot, for the supreme test in the way of allowing God to rule was to set aside the rule of wealth, position, and selfishness.

Last week we were taught to "make friends by means of the mammon of unrighteousness; that when it shall fail they may receive you into the eternal tabernacles." This is exactly what Christ told this young man to do. "Sell . . . give to the poor." By thus using he would store up treasure in heaven. That he could not stand the test is evident from v. 22. However, beyond this simple record we can only speculate. We trust, however, that his sorrow may have been that which "worketh repentance," II Cor. 7:10. This much is certain: Jesus presented to him his greatest opportunity. Two paths were opened before him, one straight and narrow, and one broad and easy to follow. Which did he take? His one lack may have been fatal.

Perils of Riches.

II. The Master's Exhortation, vv. 23-31. As a great teacher and philosopher Jesus took this occasion to point out the perils of riches. Nearly every man is willing to run the risk. We have, however, but to look about us to see illustration after illustration of the truth of these words. "How hardly"—increased wealth, decreased piety. "How hardly"—men seek to tone down this picture, but have no right so to do. The only safety is found in the words of verse 27, "with God all things are possible." The most severe test possible to be given to a man's religious experience is for him to be prospered in wealth or position. The rich young ruler is an evidence of the fact that such a godless life is a restless one.

Notwithstanding his possessions, his refinement, the privileges of his position and a life so cleanly lived as to leave no vulgar moral scar, yet he exclaims: "What shall I do that I may inherit eternal life?" It was easier for the proverbial camel to have entered the city gate (or a literal needle's eye as you prefer) than for this young man to yield to God the control of his life. Every life is under control. A godless life is a self-controlled life. As men came to Jesus he saw perfectly their individual needs; their peculiar malady.

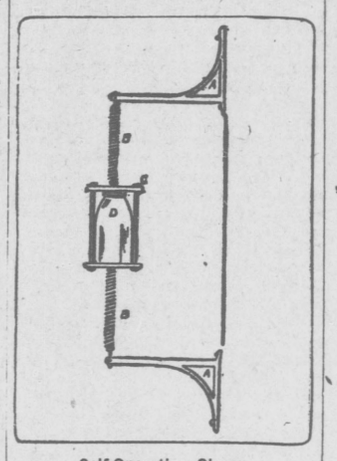
The disciples were amazed at the master's words and thought if a rich man cannot be saved there is hope for none. Such is not the meaning. This is revealed in the reply to Peter's question. Men are saved irrespective of position or of possessions for God loves them all. Those who turn the control of their lives over to his keeping, those who, no matter what their condition or position in life, follow him, leaving all, or bringing all as the case may be, will have their reward here in this life and in the world to come, eternal life.

DAIRY FACTS

EXCELLENT FOR FAMILY USE

Small Quantities of Butter May Be Made by Self-Operating Churn Designed by Nebraskan.

I have a handy little churn to make small quantities of butter of cream that is still sweet and fresh, writes Jacob M. Friessen of Jensen, Neb., in Farmers Mail and Breeze. Two shelf brackets AA were fixed to the wall as shown in the drawing. The springs



Self-Operating Churn.

BB are the long, flexible kind used on doors. C is a frame made of two square pieces of inch boards and four long, thin bolts. This frame holds the fruit jar D firm while in use. The springs are fastened to the top and bottom boards of the frame. When ready, raise or pull down the jar, then release it, and you will find it will keep in motion a long time.

ECONOMICAL FEED FOR COWS

Home Grown Foods, as Rule, Should Form Main Reliance of Dairyman—Some Good Lessons.

(By M. K. WOODWORTH.)

Economical feeding of a dairy herd is a subject which cannot be fully explained in a short paper, but there are a few points which I might mention which would cause the reader to further investigate for himself. If I could say something that would cause dairymen to look into the matter, my best hopes would be realized, for it is easy for a man to be shown after he is willing to learn.

As a rule home-grown foods should form the main reliance, but commercial feeds and purchased grains will necessarily occupy a more or less prominent place in dairy rations for years to come. How much of these feeds we can use at a profit depends upon their cost and the quality of the cows we are feeding. Generally speaking, the man who is producing the city milk can afford to feed more grain than the man who is producing products that can be held over in storage for longer periods of time.

Viewed from another standpoint, the cow that is fed starvation rations and those fed more than they can digest and turn to a profit, are both losing money for their owners. It is somewhere between these extremes that the successful dairyman must set his standard. It is his business to find out and no dairy authority on earth can inform him intelligently. It is one of the many lessons we must work out by associating with our stock.

Durability of the Silo.

The durability of the silo should be well considered before building. Many of the cheapest silos have proven to be the most expensive, owing to the fact that they have maintained their efficiency for a few years only. In silos as well as all other buildings it will be found most economical to build good ones.

The materials used should consist of wood, tile, brick, stone, cement blocks or solid concrete. Considering the durability and the cost, the re-enforced concrete silo is to be recommended.

Increases Dairy Profits.

One way to increase profits on the dairy farm is to get rid of the poor cows.

Whitewash Is Cheap.

Whitewash is so cheap that its cost does not excuse having plenty of it in the hen houses and cow barns.

No Profit Expected.

The dairy cow cannot be expected to make large profits from improper care and improper feed.

Millet Is Fair Hay.

Millet is only a fair hay for dairy cows.

Stimulating Flow of Milk.

Ordinary care will not stimulate a large flow of milk.

Look Out for Vermin.

Be mighty careful to see that your setting hen is not overrun with lice In producing louse-free chicks the incubator certainly has it on the hen.

Infertile Eggs Keep Best.

Remove the male bird as soon as the breeding season is over. Infertile eggs keep longer and better and can stand more hot weather.

Cracked Corn to Chicks.

Corn is best fed to chicks in a cracked condition.

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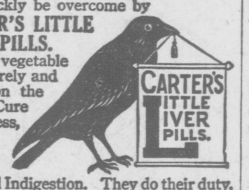

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MADE A PERSONAL APPEAL

Tailor's Desperate Endeavor to Make Convention Listen to "His Best Customer."

Register O'Loughlin of Brooklyn will think twice before he undertakes to address another convention of tailors. His own tailor led him into it.

"For me," said the tailor, "you do it. With my friends it makes a hit."

O'Loughlin put on his openwork clothes and sat on the platform. Tailors, cutters, buyers, city salesmen, bushelmen, models, bosses, other items of the tailoring industry buzzed loudly on the floor. Now and then some man would enter and be greeted with applause.

"That," said O'Loughlin's tailor and guide, "is Max Schleiner, he is the buyer for Clipperstein & Menx."

Hours O'Loughlin sat there. At last he was introduced as the next speaker. No one paid the least attention to him. Conversation rose toward the heights of emotion. After three false starts O'Loughlin sat down. He was angry enough for arson. His tailor saw the black rage on his brow.

"Ladies and gentlemen," he bellowed, whacking at the table with his gavel. "You should listen to Mr. O'Loughlin. He is my best customer."—Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph.

Where He Came In.

Grace was a country girl, whose parents sent here to the city to attend college. When the holidays came around and she came home, her mother gave a reception in her honor.

Some of the girl friends asked Grace to show them her new gowns. Obligingly she brought out several modish gowns, and, holding up a particularly pretty one of silk, she said:

"Isn't this one perfectly beautiful? And, just think, it came from a poor, little insignificant worm!"

Her hard-working father was seated near, watching the performance, and he replied:

"Yes, darn it, and I'm that worm!"—Lippincott's.

A Puzzler.

An American woman made the ascent of Vesuvius recently with a small party which included Mrs. Cook, widow of the famous tourist manager. The display within the crater was unusually fine, which the American at dinner smilingly attributed to the presence of Mrs. Cook. After several moments of silence, two Englishmen exclaimed in one breath, "But how could they manage that?"—Youth's Companion.

Saved.

The chief Powhatan was about to pulverize Mr. John Smith when a shriek rent the air and Pocahontas stood beside them.

"Stay!" she commanded.

"Ah!" exclaimed Smith, who was noted for his fertility in resource, "you are the first I ever loved."

Pocahontas was just graduated and believed everything she heard, and so they were married.

Complicated Courtesies.

"I tried to apologize to my wife," said Mr. Meekton, "but it was confusing."

"Why?"

"Every time I tried to say anything she insisted on saluting back, word for word."

New York Amusements.

"Did you have a good time in New York?"

"Great. We paid $5 each for $2 seats for a show that wasn't worth 50 cents."

The mystery of the Mona Lisa smile has at last been solved. The artist caught her expression when she was trying to laugh at one of her husband's jokes.

Ever know a young widow to faint if there was no man around?

Most men would be ashamed to preach half what they practise.

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NEAR THE END OF MEDIATION

Effort to Bring Rebels Into Plan a Failure.

NEITHER SIDE YIELDS.

American Delegates See Carranza Agents, But Accomplish Nothing—Split In Constitutionalist Camp.

Niagara Falls, Ont.—Justice Lamar and Frederick W. Lehman, the American delegates to the mediation conference, went to Buffalo and talked for four hours with Rafael Zubarah and Luis Cabrera, personal representatives of General Carranza. Their purpose was to find some way to bring the Constitutionalists in harmony with the scope of mediation. The mission was a failure.

The Constitutionalist representatives, who had come from Washington especially to see the American delegates, told them why they could not agree to an armistice and why only a man prominent in the Constitutionalist ranks will be accepted by them for the provisional presidency, and finally they said they believed the Constitutionalist army would settle the Mexican problem soon if left unhampered by foreign complications.

The Americans returned to Niagara Falls feeling that so far as the political pacification of Mexico is concerned, mediation had accomplished nothing and probably the end of the conferences was very near.

The next full conference is set for Friday. Until then little will be done because of the absence of Minister Naon, of Argentina. Most of the principals here incline to the view that Friday's session may be the last. The three mediating plenipotentiaries have practically abandoned hope of solving Mexico's internal problem, as the Huerta delegates are resolute in their determination not to accept a Constitutionalist partisan for the provisional presidency and there appears no feasible way of keeping all elements in conference much longer.

Only developments not now foreseen, such as a change of attitude on the part of the Constitutionalists or of the Huerta delegates, can keep the conference in session.

GEN. VILLA RESIGNS.

An Apparent Breach Between Him and General Carranza.

Laredo, Texas.—It was reported in official circles here that Francisco Villa has tendered his resignation as second chief of the Constitutionalist army to become governor of the State of Chihuahua, succeeding Fidel Avila, who is temporarily acting in that post. Rumors state that it is likely that Felipe Angeles, now secretary of war for the Constitutionalists, will succeed Villa.

The resignation of Villa is due, it is said, to General Natera's attempt to take Zacatecas without orders.

Washington, D. C.—Reports that General Villa had resigned command of his army were not credited here either in government official circles or among the members of the Constitutionalist agency Juan Urquidi, secretary of the agency, said he had not heard the report except through press dispatches and did not believe it.

SUFFRAGISTS BEGIN HIKE.

They Will Spend 13 Days Touring Garrett County.

Cumberland, Md.—The suffragists from Baltimore started their 13-day campaign through Garrett county, leaving from Frostburg after an early morning meeting. "General" Edna Latimer carried the banner of purple, green and white. The hikers were joined by Miss Julia Downes and Mrs. F. R. Snell, of Washington. Several members of the local Just Government League acted as guides over the mountain to Grantsville, where the suffragists rested for the night.

MUNSEY PAPER SUSPENDS.

Publication Of The Philadelphia Evening Times Ceases.

Philadelphia.—Suspension of The Philadelphia Evening Times, one of Frank A. Munsey's chain of newspapers, was announced by Mr. Munsey Tuesday. The paper was established July 15, 1908. Three years later Mr. Munsey offered it for sale, but did not effect a deal.

ELIHU ROOT TO QUIT SENATE.

New Yorker Declares He Will Not Accept Another Term.

Washington, D. C.—Senator Elihu Root, according to his intimate friends in Washington, will not permit his name to be used in connection with the Republican nomination for the Senate to succeed himself. Within the last week Mr. Root has stated that his mind is made up, and he will not be a candidate for the Senate.

KILLED HUSBAND; GOES FREE.

Charleston Grand Jury Refuses To Indict Woman.

Charleston, W. Va.—Mrs. Dollie McSurley, who recently walked into the Sheriff's office and announced that two days before she had killed her husband and hid his body in the cellar of their home, walked out of the county jail here a free woman. The Kenawha county grand jury refused to return an indictment against her. Mrs. McSurley declared she struck her husband with a hatchet after he tried to kill her.

HOW WOMEN AVOID OPERATIONS

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Cleveland, Ohio—"My left side pained me so for several years that I expected to have to undergo an operation, but the first bottle I took of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound relieved me of the pains in my side and I continued its use until I became regular and free from pains. I had asked several doctors if there was anything I could take to help me and they said there was nothing that they knew of. I am thankful for such a good medicine and will always give it the highest praise."—Mrs. C. H. GRIFFITH, 7305 Madison Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.

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The dull routine of the day in the bank was one day lightened by the receipt of the following communication:

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Wanted to See Novelty.

A little girl's uncle wrote her a letter, using a "script" typewriter, the letters of which were joined as those in ordinary handwriting. The little girl noticed the difference between this type and that more generally used, with interest.

"Oh, uncle, uncle," she cried, upon her next visit to his office, "I want to see the typewriter that writes words instead of letters!"

Where the Adage Is True.

Gobang—I attended a spiritualistic seance last night and the spirit of my father appeared.

Grymes—You should remember that appearances are deceptive.

Hard facts in the shape of silver dollars are always appreciated.

MAN SURELY NEEDED HELP

Trebly Bereaved, One Believes His Appeal for "Lone" Must Have Been Granted.

A Boston philanthropist, it is said, not long ago received the following letter:

"Dear and Noble Sur: Knowing your kind hart an nobleness of nachur i rite these few lines to ast will you be so kind as to add to your good deads the following. I have lately lost my horse, my home and my wife. So being horseless, homeless an wifeless i am up agin it hard trying to earn a living. Would you be so kind in the goodness of your grate hart to help me along some finanshially untill I can replace my three losses when i am shure i can repay you. Once on my feet i can make good my losses an would pay back the lone with intrest. A small lone would help but a biger one would help me to reach the gole of suckcess sooner and therefore you would get your money back sooner, so it would be beter for both if the lone could be large as possible. Hope to have faverable reply etc."

Charles Lamb and Hastings.

Hastings, which is to indulge in a pageant of heroes, was an object of particular aversion to Charles Lamb. "I love town or country," he wrote, "but this detestable Cinque Port is neither. If it were what it was in its primitive shape, and what it ought to have remained, a fair, honest fishing town and no more, it were something—with a few straggling fishermen's huts scattered about, artless as its cliffs, and with their materials filched from them—it were something. I could abide to dwell with Meshech; to associate with fisher swains and smugglers. There are, or I dream there are, many of this latter occupation here. Their faces become the place. I like a smuggler. He is the only honest thief. He robs nothing but the revenue, an abstraction I never greatly cared about."—London Chronicle.

Worst Yet to Come.

"I hate to leave the old place," remarked Adam as he turned from the Garden of Eden. "Leaving isn't the worst of it," replied Eve. "Think of the trouble you're going to have when you get to telling of the animals and rivers in this place to the explorers and geographical experts over yonder."—Washington Star.

Superfluity.

"You never admit having made a mistake!"

"What's the use?" asked Senator Sorghum. "When I make a mistake, there are always plenty of people to talk about it without my joining in."

Tribulation.

He—Darling, why are you so sad?

She (gulping down a sob)—Oh, dearest, I was just thinking this will be our last evening together until tomorrow night!—Puck.

Not to Be Doubted.

"Beauty is only skin deep."

"That may be, but it's the best skin game going."

Out and In.

"At last my dear I am out of debt."

"Good. Now I can go down and get the new outfit I wanted on credit."

Every time we hear of a wedding we wonder how the girl asked the man to marry her.

Protestants of the United States gave $16,398,000 to foreign missions in 1913.

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PRIVATE JONES WAS LATE

Under the Circumstances the Probabilities Are That Congratulatory Visit Was Postponed.

Corporal Jenkins married "on the strength," and in due course his wife presented him with a son and heir. His pals all flocked around to tender their congratulations and incidentally taste Bill's bitter beer.

Private Jones was on his way when he met Sergeant Brown returning.

"Where are you off to?" asked the latter.

"Oh, I'm going around to see Bill and wish him luck with that youngster of his," was the answer.

"Then you're too late," said the sergeant solemnly.

"Wot!" exclaimed Private Jones. "Surely it hasn't gone and died?"

"No, the youngster's all right, but the barrel is out!" was the grim response.—London Tit-Bits.

Their First Thoughts.

Wine Drummer (to widow of dead customer, a composer)—May I ask how old your husband was when he died?

Widow—Only forty. Who knows how much more he might have done?

Wine Drummer—Ah, yes—and if we calculated it at only a hundred bottles a year!—Fliegende Blatter.

No wonder Solomon was the champion wise man, with 1,000 wives to coach him.

Many a man carries a mortgage because he is unable to lift it.

Love is blind, so what's the use of wasting gas on it?

Easily Accomplished.

Judge Hanington, when leader of the opposition in the New Brunswick legislature, representing the county of Westmoreland, was once delivering a vigorous address in the house against some measure of the government, then led by Mr. Blair.

"Oh, that my constituents in Westmoreland could hear me now" exclaimed the opposition leader in violent tones.

Mr. Blair motioned to an attendant. "Open the windows," he said.

Of Course Not.

"I found a letter in your coat pocket that you had not mailed."

"Is that all you found in my coat?"

"That is all there was in it."

"Oh, no it's not."

"What else I'd like to know?"

"A rip under the sleeve, but, of course, you were not looking for anything like that."

Sure Clue.

"Doctor, is your patient sure you can cure him by your new method?"

"How did you know my patient was not a woman?"

"I heard that you were going to try the silence cure."

Stationery Talk.

"I like your address," said the postage-stamp to the envelop.

"If it were not for my address I don't suppose you would be stuck on me," replied the envelop.

Waste little time in arguing with people who don't care.

A woman's idea of saving money is to have things charged.

Their First Breakfast

It's a wise bride that doesn't attempt too much for that breakfast.

She can escape cooking in a hot kitchen, avoid rich, greasy foods, and have a good breakfast just the same, by serving

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GIVE US A SANE FOURTH

IF Our Town Fathers wish to continue in well doing, let them provide for a "Sane Fourth." Our state towns, following the sensible practice of an increasing number of towns and cities in many states, are doing this, and Middletown should act likewise.

Why should we on this hot July day, explod fireworks to the discomfort of the sick and aged? Why? Because we had noble forefathers who on that day did a great and brave deed.

Should we not at this season, be quiet, and thoughtfully deliberate the great cause of human freedom and their magnificent course; read and ponder the superb instrument itself; to the end that we their descendants may worthily continue to our posterity the blessings their heroism bought?

Have all THE TRANSCRIPT readers read, or heard read, the Declaration of Independence, or Washington's Farewell Address—or that little gem—Lincoln's Gettysburg speech? We suggest some form of rational amusement games, parades, speeches—why not—in lieu of the old time folly.

REHOBOTH TO HAVE BIG TIME

Many towns in Sussex County will have Fourth of July celebrations, but the one most talked of now is the one to be "pulled off" at Rehoboth Beach, this year. For several years Rehoboth has celebrated the glorious Fourth in a small way, getting the people there and then giving them nothing to look at after they arrive. But for the past two years that little city by the sea has more than fulfilled its promises to the people; this year they are going to try and outdo themselves, and judging from the program which will follow, we believe they will succeed. G. A. Ewing, in conjunction with the Village Improvement Association, which is composed of the ladies of the town, and the citizens in general, have mapped out a program that will make visitors sit up and take notice. Immediately on the arrival of the noon train the ball will start rolling. A parade will take place immediately on the arrival of the train, which we have been promised, will excell all past parades; then an areoplane flight will attract the visitors. After dinner, motorcycle racing, horse racing and baseball will entertain the people at Rehoboth Driving Park. Horses from Delaware, Maryland and Virginia will be pitted against each other, and some fine racing is promised. During the races a special race will take place between Engine Girl and an automobile. The owner of the machine claiming that he can go one mile while the horse is going one-half mile. This is a race for a purse of $100, and will be worth seeing. While the races are in progress a game of baseball will be going on inside of the race track.

The races and purses will be as follows: Class A, purse $80; Class B, purse $60; Class C, purse $40; Class D, purse $25. Entries for the races will be received up to July 2, at 8 p. m.

The order of exercises will be as follows: Parade 12 m.: aeroplane flight 1 p. m.; horse races 1.30 p. m.; baseball, 2 p. m.; automobile race, 3.30 p. m.

The V. I. A. and lodges of Rehoboth invite the ladies and lodges of other towns to be present. Special trains will be run on all railroads.

The day's entertainment will wind up with a grand display of fire works in the evening.

Relief Erom Choking

Mayor A. P. Rowe, of Fredericksburg, Va., writes to the Washington Post: I read in the Post of December 3 that a citizen of Washington while on a visit to his son in Virginia was choked to death by a bone in his throat after every effort was made to remove the same but without success. Whenever I read of such cases, in any paper, I always endeavor to send the same paper a sure and certain relief for choking, that has never yet failed. The remedy is simply this: To immediately reverse the upright position of the body with head down and with body supported by the hands and feet elevated, when instant relief will be obtained and the obstruction will fall from the mouth. A child can be seized by the legs, and head turned down, and relief will be instantaneous. Several lives have been saved in this community by this treatment, and I have received several grateful letters from other States, advising me of its success when death seemed inevitable.

Surveying Public Lands

County Road Engineer Morgan T. Gum is making a survey of the public lands along the Atlantic Coast. extending from Fenwick Island to Cape Henlopen. The survey is being made under the direction of the Public Lands Commission created by an Act of the last Legislature. After the survey is completed, the Commission has the power to lay the land off in small tracts and dispose of it at public sale.

PHYSICIANS INTERESTED

The great interest being taken in the proposed better babies contest for the coming State fair, and the fact that 30 phpsicians have accepted invitations to appear at the meeting is of great encouragement to the directors of the fair and there is every prospect that the meeting and the better babies contest both will be very successful. All physicians of the city and State were invited to the meeting which was held in the Knights of Malta room in Central Bank building Tuesday afternoon, at 3.30 o'clock. The directors of the Fair and Mrs. Anna S. Richardson of New York City, an editor of the Woman's Home Companion, were present to take part in the conference.

The physicians who were present at the meeting were: Drs. Julian Adair, J. W. Bastian, H. W. Briggs, I. L. Chipman, J. M. R. deLacour, H. W. Howell, C. W. Hughes, W. Kleinstuber, W. H. Kraemer, J. P. Lukens, James H. Morgan, H. S. Miller, E. T. Negendank, John Palmer, Jr., A. Robin P. A. M. Rovitti, J. B. Rutherford, Florence Seward, Meredith Samuel, Paul R. Smith, John Stadter, Benjamin Veasey, Joseph Wales, John N. Yates, E. W. Lenderman, George R. Foulk, E. W. Ryon, H. R. Pennock, P. W. Tomlinson and W.E. Postles.

Mrs. Richardson stated that her "tried and true plan" for babies contests is so thorongh that both schools of medicine find it congenial and there is a complete co-operation.

Many persons have asked why it is that the Woman's Home Companion takes such an interest in these affairs. It is due to a great grief on the part of president of the company, whose little girl died during exceedingly hot weather. He felt that if his child with all comforts possible could suffer with the heat, there must be many who suffer with out comfort and without care.

Sheriff's Sales

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRDUE OF a writ of Lev. Fac. to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale, at the hotel in Townsend, Appoquinimink hundred, New Castle county, Delaware,

ON SATURDAY,
THE 27TH DAY OF JUNE, 1914,
at 10 o'clock, A. M.,

the following described real estate viz:

All that certain lot or parcel of land situate in the town of Townsend, New Castle county and State of Delaware, bounded and described as follows to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the east side of South street, a corner for these lands and lands formerly of Joseph C. Clayton, now of William E. Duhadaway thence with line of land said Duhadaway, north seventy-four and one-half degrees, east one hundred and fifty feet to lands of A. L. Quillen; thence with said Quillen's line, south fifteen and one-half degrees, east, fifty feet to a stake, a corner for these and lands of John W. Naudain; thence with said Naudain's land, south seventy-four and one-half degrees, west one hundred and fifty feet to South street aforesaid; thence therewith, north fifteen and one-half degrees, west fifty feet to the place of beginning, containing seven thousand and five hundred (7,500) square feet of land, be the same more or less, with a two story frame dwelling house and bake shop thereon erected.

Also all that certain tract or parcel of land, situate in Appoquinimink hundred, county and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a stake in line of lands of John W. Wright, deceased, and standing in the public road, leading from the "Pine Tree" road to the Union Meeting House from thence with the centre of said road towards the "Pine Tree," road, north forty-one degrees, east ninety-one and eight-tenths perches to a stake in said road, and twenty feet southwest of a division line between the whole tract and lands formerly of William G. Lowe, now of Lora H. Silcox; thence with the residue of said tract being now or late of the lands of Daisy Wiggin, north forty-seven degrees snd fifty-nine minutes, west one hundred and twenty-five perches to a stake, a corner for said Daisy Wiggin, and thence with said Wiggin's line, south forty-one degrees, west ninety-four and eight-tenths perches to a stake in said John W. Wright's, deceased, line; thence therewith said Wright's line, south forty-nine degrees, east one hundred and twenty-five perches to the place of beginning, containing seventy-three acres of land, be the same more or less.

Being the same two sracts or parcels of land which Thomas Maloney and Maloney, his wife by their indenture, dated January , A. D. 1898, granted and conveyed to Emma C. Lynam, wife of William W. Lynam, party hereto in fee. Said indenture now before me and intended to be recorded, reference thereto being had the same will more fully and at large appear.

For release of a portion of this property, see Deed Record T. Vol. 20, Page 577, Etc., the same being in the words and figurese following, to-wit:

All that certain tract or parcel of land, situate in Appoquinimink hundred as aforesaid: Beginning at stake in Benjamin Denny's line in the public road leading from the "Pine Tree road to the Union Meeting House; from thence with the centre of said road towards the "Pine Tree" road, north forty-one degrees, east ninety-one and eight-tenths perches to a stake in said road and 20 ft. Southwest of a dividing line between the whole tract and William G. Lowe; from thence with the residue of said tract, north forty-seven degrees, and 55 minutes, west 125 perches to a stake, corner for said residue, and twenty feet distant as aforesaid from the aforesaid division line; from thence with said residue south forty-one degrees, west ninety-four and eight-tenth perches to a stake in Benjamin Denny's line; thence with his line, south forty-nine degrees, east one hundred and twenty-five perches to the place of beginning, containing seventy-three acres, clear and woodland.

The said Indenture of Mortgage being made to secure the payment of the sum of four hundred dollars each with interest, from the respective dates thereof, as by reference thereto the same will more fully and at large appear.

Seized and taken in executian as the property of William W. Lynam and Emma C. Lynam, his wife and to be sold by

WALTER S. BURRIS, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del., June 11, 1914.

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Sheriff's Sales

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRDUE OF a writ of Lev. Fac. to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale at the Middletown Hotel in the Town of Middletown, St. Georges, Hundred New Castle County Delaware,

ON MONDAY
THE 29TH DAY OF JUNE 1914,
At 10 o'clock, A. M.

the following described Real Estate viz:

All that certain lot or parcel of land, situate in St. Georges Hundred on the north side of the public road leading from Middletown to Odessa and on the east side of the public road leading therefrom to the "Brick Mill" and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point in the line of the north side of land of the "Odessa and Middletown Railway" and at the middle of the said "Brick Mill" road; thence with the middle of said road towards the "Brick Mill" north three degrees west, thirty-seven and eight-tenths rods to a corner for this lot and land late of Jonathan K. Williams, deceased; thence with the line of said Williams' land north forty-three degrees and three quarters east, twenty four rods and eighteen links of a Gunters Chain to a stone now set in line of said Williams' land and a corner for this lot and land of Franklin J. Pennington; thence for a dividing line for this lot and other land of said Pennington south, three degrees east, fifty-four rods and one link, as aforesaid, to a stone in the northern line of said Railway land and a corner for this lot and other land of the said Pennington; thence with said Railway land, and parallel with said road towards Middletown South, eighty-four degrees west, eighteen rods and twelve links, as aforesaid, to the place of beginning. Containing within said metee and bounds five acres and fifty square rods.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Harry C. Spicer and Fanny Spicer, his wife, Mortgagors, and terre tenants and to be sold by

WALTER B. BURRIS, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del., June 11th, 1914.

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Levari Facias, to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale, at the Court House, on Market street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets, in the city of Wilmington, New Castle county, Delaware,

ON SATURDAY,
THE 27TH DAY OF JUNE, 1914,
at 10 o'clock, A. M.,

the following described Real Estate, viz:

All that certain lot or piece of land, with the buildings thereon, situate in the city of Wilmington aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Lobdell street, between Claymont and Goodman streets, at the distance of fifty feet, three and one-half inches from the westerly side of Goodman street; thence northerly parallel with Goodman street, seventy-five feet to a corner; thence westerly, parallel with Lobdell street, 24 feet, eight and a half inches to a corner; thence southerly parallel with Goodman street, seventy-five feet to the said northerly side of Lobdell street, and thence thereby easterly, twenty-four feet, eight and a half inches, to the place of beginning, be the contents thereof what they may.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Henry S. Townsend, Administrator of the estate of Mary Bachler, deceased, and to be sold by

WALTER S. BURRIS, Sheriff.
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MAKING AND FEEDING SILAGE

Silage during the last three decades has come into general use throughout the United States, especially in those regions where the dairy industry has reached its greatest development. Silage is universally recognized as a good and cheap feed for farm stock, and particularly so for cattle and sheep, are the observations made in Farmers' Bulletin 578.

Silage is the best and cheapest form in which a succulent feed can be provided for winter use, continues the bulletin. An acre of grain can be placed in the silo at a cost not exceeding that of shocking, husking, grinding and shredding. Crops can be put in the silo during weather that cannot be used in making hay or curring fodder, which is an important consideration in some localities.

A given amount of corn in the form of silage will produce more milk than the same amount when shocked and dried. There is less waste in feeding silage than in feeding fodder. Good silage properly fed is all consumed, and in addition very palatable. Like other succulent feeds it has a beneficial effect upon the digestive organs, and some can be kept on a given area of land when it is the basis of the ration.

On account of the smaller cost for labor, silage can be used for supplementing pastures more economically than can soiling crops, unless only a small amount of supplementary feed is required. Converting the corn crop into silage clears the land sooner than if the corn crop is shocked and husked, and because of these advantages silage, in the general opinion of dairy farmers, has increased milk production per cow and has increased the profits per acre.

Addition Nearing Completion

The brick work on the new addition to the Sussex County Court House, is rapidly nearing completion, and work on the interior has been started. When completed, this will be one of the most handsome buildings in the county, and the opposition to the plans, which some papers claimed was alarming, is fast disappearing as the building gains shape. One of the improvements which will be gratifying to every resident of town is to be made to the old town clock. This historic time piece will be about 60 feet above the street in its new location and will be enclosed in glass, and at night the four faces will be illuminated by electricity, so that persons in any part of the town and near by country can tell the time.

WHEN YOU CAN'T SLEEP

The drug habit is a very easy one to form, and many sufferers from sleeplessness are sorely tempted to begin this harmful habit. This is not only dangerous but positively wicked. Make it a rule never to take a drug to produce sleep without a written prescription from your physician, and then never to have such a prescription refilled without his express orders. The most frequent causes of sleeplessness are mental worry or cerebral excitement of some kind, of some disturbance of the digestive organs; therefore, a little common sense and a little will-power will often overcome insomnia, and it will not be at all necessary to resort to drugs. Try any or all of the methods given here before even thinking of medicine.

When you can't go to sleep look to the ventilation of your sleeping-room; if the air is not perfectly fresh, wrap yourself up warmly and open the windows wide top and bottom, until the air has become thoroughly changed; then leave the window open part way and try again to sleep.

Cold feet are often a cause of sleeplessness. Never go to bed until the feet are well warmed, and if they become cold after you are in bed rise and try the tiptoe exercises to promote circulation in the toes, then put on warm woolen bed-socks and keep a hot water bottle at the foot of the bed.

If sleep is impossible try a warm mustard foot-bath, putting one heaping tablespoonful of mustard to each gallon of water. Have the temperature of the water about 105 degrees, and soak the feet and legs in this for ten or fifteen minutes; carefully dry them and put on warm wool bed-socks. This will help to draw the blood away from the overcharged brain and will produce a quieting effect.

To many people a warm tub bath taken at bedtime will insure a good night's sleep, while to others its effects are the reverse; at all events it is a thing to be tried.

When the feet and rest of the body are comfortably warm a cold compress placed on the forehead of a sleepless person will many times prove very successful in producing a quiet sleep. This cools the head, driving away any excess of blood from the brain and so preventing the long-continued brain activity which so often causes sleeplessness.

It is almost as bad to go to bed hungry as it is to eat too hearty a meal. Something light and easily digested as well as satisfying may be taken at bedtime. A glass of warm milk, a cupful of hot malted milk or some cocoa may be chosen, and if one wakes up hungry in the middle of the night, and cannot go to sleep again, one of these drinks will often be found most beneficial. They not only satisfy hunger, but their heat will warm up the stomach and help to draw the blood away from the brain, thus making sleep possible. Tea and coffee should never be taken for this purpose, for they are excitants and will not have the desired result.

Old people are very apt to wake very early in the morning and are not then able to go to sleep again. If they will take one of the above drinks and eat a cracker, many times they will be able to drop into a refreshing sleep which will last for several hours.

The very bad habit of sleeping with the bedclothing over the head is responsible for many wakeful nights. Many impurities are given off from the body during sleep which if taken again into the lungs are apt to cause a great deal of trouble. Only fresh, pure air should be breathed in, if a restful night is desired.

The time-honored method of producing sleep by counting an imaginary flock of sheep as they jump over a fence is really helpful to some people, simply because it is a means of diverting an anxious mind. I have found the following manner of counting of much more benefit, however; it needs close attention, and other trains of thought cannot be carried on at the same time. Count slowly up to twenty in this way; one, two; one, two, three; one, two, three, four, etc. People who habitually use this method tell me they rarely reach fifteen before dropping into a peaceful sleep.

While reading in bed is not a thing to be generally advised, if every other method of taking the mind off anxious thoughts has failed, then try a light and amusing story.

Some people never completely relax the body, part of the muscles being held in more or less of a rigid state all the time. When you can't go to sleep try making yourself perfectly limp, so that you are conscious of your physical weight on the bed.

IT WAS FARMERS' DAY

All roads led to the Delaware College Experiment Farm Monday morning, the occasion being the annual Farmers' Day, which is now one of the features of commencement week. From the arrival of the first train, until noon visitors were arriving at the rate of several hundred every hour and all records for attendance established last year were broken. This day has grown in popularity among the Delaware farmers until it now resembles a county fair and has resulted in much benefit for both the grangers and the college.

Professor Harry Hayward, director of the Experiment Station, the station staff and the agriculture students, who number 32 per cent of the entire enrollment at the college, had made the arrangements for looking after and entertaining the visitors more perfectly than ever before. As the visitors arrived they were taken on inspection trips in groups wherever they desired to go. All three counties were well represented and there were many visitors in the crowd from the Eastern Shore of Maryland, Western New Jersey and Southeastern Pennsylvania. Hundreds arrived in automobiles and there were several hundred teams on the large lawn and grounds around the farmhouse.

Most of the morning was taken up in inspecting the many things on the farm that are of especial interest to the farmer. The hundreds of experiment plots were inspected and the members of the station staff and students explained to the visitors just what is being done along this line. The orchards attracted the attention of many and especially the young peach orchard that has produced such excellent results during the past several years Every visitor was made to feel at home as far as this was possible as they were the guests of the college on this occasion, and the college authorities are anxious that the people of the State in general become familiar with the work that is being carried on at the farm and Experiment Station. There were many persons in the crowd who had never visited the farm before and to them the trip was especially interesting A demonstration of two farm tractors attracted the attention of many of the visitors. The practicability of the tractors on farms was clearly demonstrated and especially for work in orchards.

The buildings and modern equipment were of interest to many persons and everything was open for inspection. There have been a number of improvements and some additions to the buildings since the last Farmers' Day.

Dairymen spent a busy morning inspecting the college dairy herd. Many of the cows in this herd have made remarkable records during the past year and hundreds of questions were asked about their feed, care, &c., by those interested. The other thoroughbred stock also attracted much attention and hundreds of visitors were in the stables looking at the animals from early morning until afternoon. After luncheon there was a parade of the college live stock under the management of the agricultural students to give the visitors an opportunity to see the animals out of the buildings. The Holstein cow that has produced over 10 tons of milk and over 900 pounds of butter was greatly admired by the expert dairymen present. The record was made during the year ending about two months ago.

GAME CONDITION IN DELAWARE

The reports received by the State Game and Fish Commission from all parts of the State show that the game is rapidly increasing. Many breeds of young quail have already been seen and rabbits are unusually plentiful. Supt. A. B. Merriam, of the State Game Farm, has just reported to Chief Waden Le Fevre that 550 young pheasants have hatched, and over a thousand pheasant eggs are setting. Experiments are also being conducted on the State Farm with wild ducks and quail, and the indications are that the commission will have many birds to distribute over the State for stocking purposes. It is hoped that a distribution can be made within a few months.

The game fishing has also been unusually fine. Most of the ponds and many of the streams of our State afford unrivaled bass fishing. Some of the grandfathers of this finny tribe have been landed since the season opened on May 20th. Quite a list of applications for fish for stocking purposes has been filed with the Bureau of Fisheries at Washington, and notice has been received that all of the applications will be filled in order.

The strong protest lodged with the Department of Agriculture against the Federal regulation, which prohibited reed bird shooting in Delaware, has resulted in the Department issuing a notice that the reed bird season would be restored to Delaware. The new regulation provides an open season on reed birds during September and October. This news has been hailed with delight by thousands of Delaware sportsmen, whose chief delight is hunting for the toothsome reedie, and again permits them to enjoy their favorite sport as heretofore.

Very few reports of violations of the gams laws are being received, and the general observance of the laws is very gratifying to the commissioners. A noticeable increase in the numbers of our native song birds is also reported, and beneficial results in the lessening of bugs and insects will surely follow. Every one is urged to co-operate in the good work, and give the birds a chance. Dogs and cats are the worst enemies of the birds, and should be restrained from doing damoge. Many stray dogs and cats infest our State, and should be destroyed on sight. The English sparrow is probably the worst enemy of our native birds, and individuals and communities are urged to wage an unceasing warfare upon them.

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JUSTICE WHERE OLD GLORY FLIES

Wilson Makes Patriotic Address at Flag Day Exercises.

BRYAN AND DANIELS SPEAK.

The President Tells Immense Throng Assembled Before the State, War and Navy Buildings That the Banner Flying Over a Reunited Nation Was "Meant To Stand For the Just Use Of Undisputed National Power."

Washington, D. C.—Waving his hand toward an American flag hoisted by a squad of navy bluejackets, President Wilson told a great crowd assembled before the State, War and Navy Buildings to celebrate Flag Day that, flying over a reunited nation, this banner for the future was "meant to stand for the just use of undisputed national power."

"Our spirits, as well as our States, are now reunited," said the President, "and nobody questions our ability to push forward our economic affairs upon lines of unparalleled success and prosperity.

"I sometimes wonder why men take this flag and flaunt it. If I am respected I do not have to demand respect. If I am feared I do not have to ask for fear. If my power is known I do not have to proclaim it, I do not understand the temper, neither does this nation understand the temper of men who use this flag boastfully.

"This flag for the future is meant to stand for the just use of undisputed national power. No nation is ever going to doubt our power to assert its rights, and we should lay it to heart that no nation shall ever henceforth doubt our purpose to put it to the highest uses to which a great emblem of justice and government can be put.

"Is it not a proud thing to stand under such an emblem? Would it not be a pitiful thing ever to make apology and explanation of anything that we ever did under the leadership of this flag carried in the van. Is it not a solemn responsibility laid upon us to lay aside bluster and assume that much greater thing, the quietude of genuine power? So it seems to me that it is my privilege and right as the temporary representative of a great nation that does what it pleases with its own affairs to say that we please to do justice and assert the rights of mankind wherever this flag is unfurled."

Secretary Bryan and Secretary Daniels delivered addresses dwelling upon the Presidents' idea that the mission of the United States is one of liberty and justice.

BLACK HANDERS SENTENCED.

Two Get Eight Years For Attempted Extortion In New York.

Philadelphia.—Aramanag Kazazian and Garabad Narinian were convicted in the United States Court here on a charge of conspiring to extort through the mails $7,000 from Miran Karagheusian, a wealthy merchant of New York. Each was sentenced to eight years' imprisonment. In the trial the merchant testified that he had received in the last seven or eight years many threatening letters demanding money. It was also testified that Kazazian had boasted of killing eight persons in Marseilles, but this was ruled out of the case by the court.

WAR IS DECRIED BY BRYAN.

Says He Is Glad To Be Wilson's Spokesman For Peace.

Washington, D. C.—Declaring the United States is the greatest factor in the movement toward peace, Secretary Bryan, speaking here at the Flag Day celebration in the Postoffice Department, said ideas regarding what constituted the strength of nations had undergone a change. "Formerly power was thought to be dependent on the number of battleships or muskets that a nation possessed," he said, "but that is not the idea today, and it will be even less so tomorrow."

NEW COUNTERFEIT FOUND.

It Is a Five-Dollar National Bank Note Of 1902-1908.

Washington, D. C.—Discovery of a new counterfeit $5 national bank note of the series of 1902-1908 on the First National Bank of Plattsburg, Mo., was announced by the Secret Service. The counterfeit bears the portrait of Benjamin Harrison and is poorly executed. The lathe work, particularly on the back, also is not well defined.

TWO KILLED IN WRECK.

Engineer and Fireman Of Southern Train Die In Derailment.

Danville, Va.—Engineer John Wingate of Danville, and Fireman Pickard, of Southern Railway train No. 29, bound from New York to Birmingham, were killed in a derailment at Sadler, N. C., about 15 miles south of here. All the coaches except the last three left the track, but no passengers or other members of the crew are reported injured.

KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK.

Fireman Dies In Collision Near Somerset, Ky.

Somerset, Ky.—John Simmons, a fireman, was killed, and Sam Bryant, an engineer, was seriously injured in a collision between northbound Cincinnati, New Orleans and Texas Pacific Railroad train No. 14, known as the Carolina Special, and two freight engines near here. All three engines were demolished and four coaches were turned over. None of the passengers were injured.

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TO MEXICO CITY IN TWO MONTHS

Gen. Carranza Says He Has 100,000 Men.

IS CONFIDENT OF VICTORY.

How the Constitutionalist Chief Is Worshiped By the Rank and File Of His Army—The Federals Are Now Bottled Up.

Saltillo, Mexico.—"We no longer consider the Federal army a serious hindrance to our advance on Mexico City. We may be in the capital within two months or a little more. There are one hundred thousand men in the rebel army eager to proceed and confident of victory They have already captured 120 pieces of field artillery and 175 machine guns, which represents more than half the equipment of the national arsenal."

This is a summary of an interview with General Venustiano Carranza. Optimism, stimulated by the record of victories already achieved, pervaded the manner and statements of the rebel commander-in-chief.

Any impression that Carranza is lacking in tenacity of purpose is mistaken. The set of his teeth and the angle of his jaw indicate determination of purpose, when an effort is made to look beyond his mild-spoken manner.

The dynamic qualities credited to the great generals of history, including Funston and Roosevelt, do not appear on the surface with Carranza. His exterior is that of a diplomat, and is the identical type found among the leading ambassadors in the world capitals. His loyal associates, however, are already referring to him as a composite of Napoleon, Gladstone and Bismarck.

No Dissensions.

Carranza is held in admiration that amounts to worship by the rank and file of his following. If there have been dissensions the successes to date have dispelled them for all that can be gathered here.

Carranza explained that only the great waste of desert country between Saltillo and San Luis Potosi and between Torreon and Zacatecas prevented an immediate advance on Mexico City. Saltillo and Torreon are supply depots. The troops going to San Luis Potosi and Zacatecas cannot carry with them over the desert sufficient sustenance with their equipment without aid from the broken railroads which are being temporarily repaired to permit movement of trains, at least part of the way

South from the desert the country is rich with foodstuffs for both man and horse, and the lack of railroad facilities will not be permitted to hinder the advance. The last stage of the journey will be memorable in the history of the revolution.

The Carranza force have all the ammunition they deem necessary to reach and take Mexico City. The Federals are said to be bottled up at Zacatecas and Villa is now supporting the advance fighting led by Natera. A battle has been raging at Zacatecas for three days. Losses have been heavy on both sides, but no figures are obtainable.

Zacatecas is a city of 80,000 inhabitants, and is an important strategic point. General Hernandez' reports routing the Federals at Xicotencatl, Huejutla, Valles and Tamiahua, in the state of Hidalgo.

ANTILLA LANDS AMMUNITION.

1,600 Cases and Two Aeroplanes Sent To Rebels From Tampico.

Tampico, Mexico.—The steamship Antilla, in from New York, discharged her cargo of ammunition for the Constitutionalists. Sixteen hundred cases of ammunition and two aeroplanes were immediately dispatched north on a special train. The Antilla will sail for Tantopuca to recover the body of Weston Burwell, the American reporter murdered by Federals April 22.

INSANE ITALIAN STABS 25.

Runs Amuck While On Voyage From Boston.

Punta del Gardo, Azores.—Twenty-five steerage passengers on board the White Star steamship Canopic were stabbed by an Italian fellow-passenger who suddenly went mad and ran amuck while on the voyage from Boston. Five of the wounded men are in a serious condition. The incident happened shortly before the arrival here of the Canopic, which is on her way to Naples.

ALL SIGN THE FIRST PROTOCOL

Actual Beginning of the Peace Agreement.

TOOK THREE WEEKS TO DO IT

Omits Method Of Transfer Of Government Of Mexico, Which the Mexican Delegates and the Mediators Suggested.

Niagara Falls, Ontario.—Delegates from the United States and the Huerta government Friday formally affixed their signatures, in the presence of the mediating representatives of Argentine, Brazil and Chile, to the first protocol of the series through which it is hoped to restore peace in Mexico.

The agreement reached Friday in relation to the manner of transferring the executive power from Huerta to the new provisional government stood the acid test of reduction to writing. It provides this:

A government is to be constituted in Mexico of a character to be later provided, which shall be recognized by the United States on (date to be fixed), and which from that day forward shall exercise public functions until there shall be inaugurated a constitutional president.

This plank in the peace plan was reduced to the form of a protocol after more than three weeks of discussion in the last three days of which so serious a disagreement had arisen that the success of the entire mediation program was threatened.

No Mention Of Huerta.

The brief protocol was significant of two things:

It makes no mention of General Huerta as the provisional president and it omits the method of transfer which the Mexican delegates and mediators suggested and to which the United States strenuously objected on the ground that its retention would be tantamount to recognition of the existing regime. The Mexican plan provided that Huerta should name as Minister of Foreign Affairs the man agreed upon here for provisional president.

The omission of reference to the method of succession and the flat statement that on a certain date a provisional government shall arise in Mexico to which the United States will accord recognition satisfy the insistence of the American delegates that no steps should be taken that could be construed as a recognition of Huerta.

On the other hand, the Mexican delegates, while abandoning the Constitutional form of succession as a part of the protocol, are satisfied because it does not specifically deny Huerta's right to name as minister of foreign affairs the man chosen here for provisional president if the latter sees fit to accept designation from him It is not considered probable, however, that the new provisional president, who is likely to be a Constitutionalist, would take the executive power directly from Huerta, but he might do so from some other individual whom Huerta might leave in authority.

TWO ROBBERS SHOT.

Men Wanted In Butler Fall In Battle With Police.

Ellwood City, Pa.—Peter Brown, of Buffalo, was wounded, perhaps fatally, and Clarence Davis, of Newcastle, Pa., was seriously hurt in a pistol battle with the police on a Pittsburgh and Lake Erie Railroad train near here.

VERA CRUZ NEAR FAMINE.

Department Of Commerce Arranges To Have Supplies Sent Promptly.

Washington, D. C.—News of a threatened famine among the inhabitants of Vera Cruz and vicinity set the telegraph wires to work out of the Department of Commerce, and Secretary Redfield had received assurances that American merchants soon would have large supplies of food on the way to the Mexican port to be sold at moderate prices.

CHEATS GALLOW(FOR TIME.

Man Waiting To Be Hanged Hears News Of Respite.

Wheeling, W. Va.—While dressed and waiting to be taken to the gallows, on which he was to be hanged for the murder of his wife, Silas Jones was notified by the warden of the Moundsville Penitentiary that Governor Hatfield had telephoned a respite of 30 days. Leading citizens of Huntington, W. Va., where Jones resided, interceded in his behalf, declaring that new evidence had been discovered

WILSON AT HEAD OF GREAT ARMADA

Will Lead Greatest Fleet Through Canal.

ORIGINAL PLANS CHANGED

Navies Of Nine Nations Have Already Announced They Will Send Ships To Panama For the Opening Ceremonies.

Washington, D. C.—President Wilson next March will lead personally the great international fleet of warships from Hampton Roads to Colon, to participate in the formal opening of the Panama Canal, by passing through on the bridge of the world-famous old battleship Oregon as leader of the long line of fighting craft of all nations, and then, after proceeding northward, enter the Golden Gate at the head of this armada and attend the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco.

This announcement was made by Secretary Daniels, who has been working a long time to bring about the notable program. Originally the President was to go from Washington to Hampton Roads to greet the commanders of the international fleet as they arrived and to participate in the ceremonies attendant upon the departure of the vessels on their long cruise around the North American continent. Afterward he was to make the trip by rail to San Francisco to visit the exposition at some convenient later date.

Had Promised Goethals.

The President, however, has determined now to do full honor to the exposition by making his advent upon the scene at the head of an armada the like of which the world has never seen. Also he will redeem his long-standing promise to Col. George W. Goethals by not only visiting but formally opening the Panama Canal. He will make his passage through on the Oregon with Rear-Admiral Charles E. Clark (retired), who captained the ironclad in her famous Spanish War cruise around Cape Horn. Also on the Oregon will be most of the members of the Cabinet.

The President, according to the present program, many details of which remain to be worked out, will leave Washington for Hampton Roads accompanied by his official family on the yacht Mayflower on March 5, 1915. The international fleet will have been gathering in the roads since January 1, but the President feels obliged to defer his own departure until the date mentioned because of his desire to remain in Washington until the session of Congress closes.

So far nine maritime countries have signified their intention to take part in the naval parade through the canal, and it is certain there will be other participants announced before the end of this year. The countries that already have accepted are Argentina, Cuba, France, Germany, Great Britain, Italy, Japan, Portugal and Russia.

The entire Atlantic fleet of the American Navy will form the nucleus around which the international naval forces will gather. The officers and men of the fleet will be the nation's guests and will make excursions from Hampton Roads to the capital and to nearby Eastern cities while arrangements are being made for the long cruise from Chesapeake Bay to the Golden Gate.

After the ceremonies at Hampton Roads the Presidet will take up his quarters on the super-dreadnought New York. Then the start will be made for Colon, with the New York leading. The ships will form a column many miles in length, for it is estimated that there will be nearly 100 ships in the procession.

Arriving at Colon within a week there will be a delay of a day or two while arrangements are being made to pass the vessels through the canal. This will be done with all ceremony, the line being headed by the ancient steam launch Louise, the gift of the American Government to the Government of France. The Oregon is to follow with the Presidential party.

The fleet should be transferred from the Atlantic to the Pacific in the course of about four days.

When the ships have made the passage and have anchored in Panama Bay fresh supplies of coal, oil and provisions will be taken aboard and the procession will start for the North. It is probable a brief stay will be made at San Diego, Cal., to do honor to the Panama-California Exposition in progress at that place in connection with the canal celebration.

If all goes well the first vessels of the international fleet should pass through the Golden Gate by April 15, 1915.

SUFFRAGE ACT UPHELD.

Illinois Supreme Court Calls Women's Act Legal.

Springfield, Ill.—The Illinois Supreme Court declared the Illinois Woman's Suffrage act constitutional. The point also was raised that the suffrage act in reality amended the general election laws, although no reference was made in its title to its amendatory effect, as is demanded by law.

EXPLOSION IN "MOVIE" PLANT.

Valuable Films Are Destroyed and Actors Narrowly Escape.

Philadelphia.—Many thousands of feet of moving-picture film were destroyed, part of the plant was wrecked and 10 small dwellings were burned in a fire that followed an explosion at the Lubin Manufacturing Company in this city. The value of the film and the loss on the prospective income from the pictures are estimated at hundreds of thousands of dollars.

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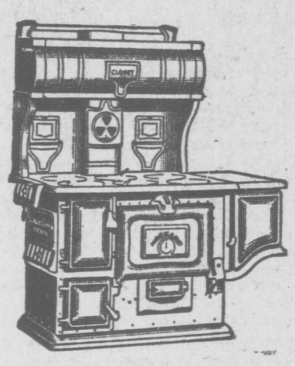

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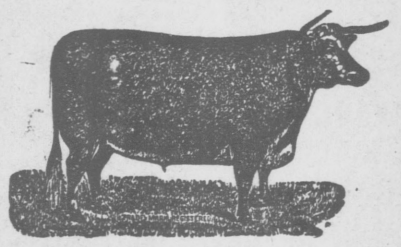

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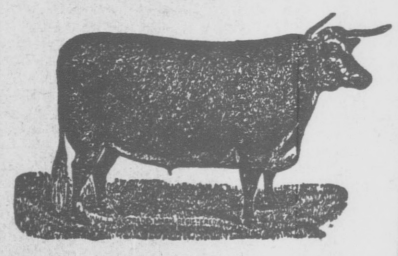

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TOWNSEND

J. A. Hart and family are entertaining friends from Wayne, Pa.

Mary Cotter, of Tacona, is visiting her sister Mrs. Margaret Ginn.

Mrs. Sallie Raisson, of Stillpond, is visiting her sister Mrs. John Lattomus.

Murriel Beauchamp, of Perryville, Md., is visiting her sister Mrs. W. H. Reynolds.

Clarence Greenwood spent several days at Port Deposit attending Masonic meetings.

Mrs. J. A. Hart is entertaining Mrs. Sallie Heinbach and two sons from Kane, Pa.

Mrs. Clara Hurst, of Wilmington, visited relatives here Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Carlton MacSorley and two sons of Wilmington, are spending some time with her parents.

Samuel Townsend, of Philadelphia, spent Saturday and Sunday with his sister Mrs. Walter Gill.

Mrs. Elizabeth Leech and son, of New Castle, are visiting her parents B. G. Lockerman and family.

Mrs. Lillie Ayers, of Philadelphia, spent several days the past week with her aunt Mrs. William Bramble.

Mrs. W. A. Scott and Mrs. George W. VanDyke spent Tuesday in Wilmington, the guest of their aunt Mrs. Sarah Alfree.

Samuel Tremble, of North East, Mr. and Mrs. Christopher and daughter of Salem, N. J., visited John Rittenhouse and family the past week.

John Ernest Jr., of Sassafras, Md., Reynolds Hodgson, and Misses Lillian Hart and Marion Reynolds attended the commencement and dance at Chestertown on Wednesday.

Mrs. L. L. Maloney and Mrs. J. Pritchard chaperoned a few little friends at the bungalow on Noxontown Lake Thursday afternoon, and a delightful time was spent.

Thomas Maloney, Walter Morgan and wife attended the commencement exercises of Millington High School on Tuesday evening, when the former's grand-daughter Gladys Jacobs was a graduate.

Townsend High School defeated Middletown High School in a baseball game on Saturday last with the score 14 to 6. The local team will play the married men of Blackbird in Townsend to-day (Saturday), Game called at 2.30 P. M., admission 10c.

About 30 of Wilmington Bankers including the President of Farmers Bank went to Lewis Thursday morning, to attend the 2d annual meeting banquet and reception of the Delaware State Bankers' Association, and officers of banks from other cities and towns will attend the meeting which promises to be one of the most enjoyable and profitable ever held in the state. L. L. Maloney from this town will join the company.

The office force of the Security Trust & Safe Deposit Company of Wilmington were entertained Saturday and Sunday by L. L. Maloney and S. Tinley Scott at their bungalow on Noxentown Lake. The following were among the guests: C. P. Buck, H. J. Ellison, P. B. Alrich, J. B. Salmon, Norman E. Ellison, Howard Denning, John Sellers, Thomns J. Mowbray, Victor G. Garrett, George W. Bird, John H. Banks, Robert Johnson and W. Hart Scott.

ODESSA

Mrs. M. M. Davis was a Wilmington visitor part of last week.

Mrs. Emily McClellon, of Wilmington was a recent visitor in town.

Mr. George Rhodes and wife visited relatives in Newark on Sunday.

Mr. William Rhein, of Wilmington, was an over Sunday with his parents here.

Mr. Joseph Graul, of Philadelphia, was the guest of Mr. Fred Plummer on Sunday.

Miss Ethel Ward, of Chester, is spending sometime with her parents here.

Kenneth Rhodes is spending this week with his cousin Jossph Rhodes in Newark.

Miss Minnie Armstrong, of Newark, is spending the school vacation with her parents.

Mrs. Atkins, of Nashville, Tenn., is the guest of the sister Miss Ewell this week.

Mr. George Gremminger, of Jersey City, is visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Francis Aspril, of Wilmington, has been spending some time with her parents here.

Mrs. John Doughten, of Wilmington, spent Tuesday with her sister Miss Elizabeth Doughten.

A special business meeting of the Methodist Brotherhood was called on Thursday evening last.

Miss Alice Croft, of Philadelphia, has been spending a few days with her grandmother Mrs. E. Croft.

Mrs. Fred Stevens and two little sons, of Philadelphia, are spending this week with Captain and Mrs. Pierce Stevens.

Preparations are being made for the Children's Day exercises to be held in the Drawyers Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening, June 28th. All are cordially invited to be present.

Neath Summer Skies "A Service for Children's Day by Adam Geibel was most beautifully rendered by St. Paul's M. E. Sunday School on Sunday evening last, to a large and appreciative audience.

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THE GENERAL SERVICE BOARD

The Organizing Committee of the General Service Board for Delaware has issued a statement outlining the questions that have been raised and reporting the support so far received in the systematic welfare campaign project for which funds now are sought. The committee is seeking $10,000 a year for a period of not less than three years to conduct its work, an outline of which is set forth in the statement just issued by the Organizing Committee of the General Service Board. The statement is as follows:

We have been charged with the task of determining the attitude of our friends and fellow-citizens toward the establishment and support of a General Service Board for Delaware. It is the intent of this first general progress report to the public to cover the few important questions that seem to be uppermost in the minds of many who have not yet sent in their membership subscriptions. We will also report herein the support in membership and subscriptions so far received.

The work of the proposed Delaware Society of Civic and Social Welfare to be conducted by its proposed Executive Body, the General Service Board of Delaware, is three-fold. To understand why at least $10,000 per annum for a period of not less than three years is needed to conduct this work in Delaware, it is necessary to correctly comprehend the scope and line of work of the proposed organization.

To decide with full justice and wisdom upon what action should be taken on a specific welfare or civic problem, requires three distinct lines of effort:

First: The thorough study of the problem as particularly applicable to local conditions.

Second: Thorough education and the dissemination of information on the question among the citizenship affected.

Third: The legal, legislative and general propaganda work to finally secure the improvement needed.

To forecast how these three divisions of work should be undertaken, the underlying principle causing this general movement must be understood; namely, that it is intended to definitely yet deliberately advance all the principles affecting human rights and human health, while at the same time giving every reasonable consideration to conservation of the material resources of the community, upon which sane human advancement is also dependent. That is, while there should be no intention to belittle property rights but rather to preserve such rights, the question of primary importance in the conception and creation of this State. Society shall be the securing and protecting of the public health and social well-being.

When organized, the General Service Board will be subject to application from existing organizations comprehended in this general movement, and will also undertake the initiation of moves on any matters not covered by existing societies but coming under the broad scope of its plans.

The General Service Board upon deciding to take up any particular subject no matter how originated, shall select a special committee to work in conjunction with the General Secretary of the Board. The General Secretary shall be the principal salaried official of the body with all of his or her time to be devoted to the work of the General Board. Each specific committee shall be composed in part of members of the Board and members of the General Society. The Special Committee shall proceed to a thorough study of the problem, particularly assigned to it. Such committee in addition to having the services of the General Secretary should have the privilege of appointing such special agent or agents as the financial appropriations by the General Board will allow. The Committee and its agents will undertake the study and collection of information both from outside of the State and within, using all other bureaus of information available and if necessary visiting other communities for such time as is necessary to carefully find out the practical effect of the application elsewhere of the reform proposed for Delaware.

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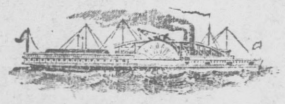

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